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Parts of Europe and Asia Suffer From Disastrous Inundations—Heavy Toll of Human Lives Taken

LOSS OF PROPERTY WILL BE IMMENSE

Torrential Rains Visit Nearly All Countries of Europe—Many People Drowned in Armenian City

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 15.—Despatches received here say that terrible floods have swept over the province of Erzerum, Turkish Armenia. Half the town of Hassankaleh has been wrecked, hundreds of persons being drowned. The flood resulted from heavy rains.

MUNICH, Bavaria, June 15.—Oberammergau, the scene of the passion play, is today cut off from railway communication with outside points by the floods. Of the six hundred strangers in the place, 300 are Americans. It is believed that these are in no danger, as the hotels are on high ground. The lower streets are filled with water. The meteorological observatory in the high Alps announces that the snow is melting rapidly and that greater floods are expected.

CONSTANCE, Baden, June 15.—Lake Constance has risen rapidly since yesterday, flooding the lower streets of the towns along its banks. The railway tracks have been submerged, and on several lines traffic has been suspended.

VIENNA, June 15.—Floods caused by the rain have done serious damage in many of the towns. The northern Tyrol railway has suffered greatly, and all traffic over this road in Vorarlberg, in the western part of Austria-Hungary has been suspended owing to the destruction of bridges and embankments. Many lives have been lost.

BELGRADE, Serbia, June 15.—Floods following torrential rains have caused havoc in the valley of the Morava River. Thirty-five lives have been lost. The towns of Chaplin, Jagodina and Svilanaba have been inundated. Water to the depth of from seven to ten feet has filled the streets. Many houses, undermined, have collapsed. King Peter and the Minister of Public Works have gone to the scene today.

BRUSSELS, June 15.—Heavy rains throughout Belgium have been followed in the lower lying districts by flood conditions, creating heavy losses. Bridges have been carried away and stock drowned. The village of Moos has been devastated by the vagrant waters.

BERNE, Switzerland, June 15.—Inundations in the eastern and central districts of Switzerland have caused great damage. A landslide at Altorf buried a factory, killing ten children, employees.

NUMBER OF DEAD NOW PLACED AT 32

Revised List of Fatalities in Montreal Herald Building Disaster—Eighteen Bodies Recovered

MONTREAL, June 15.—Eight bodies were recovered from the ruins of the Herald building today, making the total number of bodies recovered eighteen.

These have all been identified with the exception of two, both girls. The latest revised list of the missing makes the number still to be found fourteen, and brings the death list up to thirty-two.

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Struck by Street Car

VANCOUVER, June 15.—A. B. Walters, an aged citizen, was probably fatally injured by being struck by a street car today.

Good Roads Congress

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The third congress of the Good Roads Association was called to meet at Niagara Falls, N.Y., on July 28, 29, 30 and 31, 1910, by the executive committee of the organization which met here today.

Imperial Unity

LONDON, June 15.—Speaking at the Colonial Institute today, and said the number of strenuous advocates of imperial unity among the younger men in political life gave the greatest hope for the future of the movement.

Alberta Land

LONDON, June 15.—At a meeting today of the Southern Alberta Land Co., Sir R. B. Lane said that it was obvious that the longer they hold lands pending the completion of irrigation works, the better price they would eventually obtain. During the year they hoped to start another town near Bow river, also that canals and reservoirs will be doing their full duty. Lake McGregor, he added, will be partly filled, and the future was full of promise.

Accountable For Death

TORONTO, June 15.—After hearing all the evidence available in the inquest into the death of the late Thomas Horder, proprietor of the Saracene hotel, Queen and Spadina streets, who died on June 1 from injuries inflicted by a man he was ejecting from the hotel, an adjournment was made till the 29th instant to enable the police to look for a man named Charles Hardy, an Englishman, who is said to have inflicted the wound. Hardy is supposed to be in England now.

RELATIVES GET HEAVY DAMAGES

Mrs. Robert S. Lyon and Her Children Awarded \$12,000 by Jury on Account of Mr. Lyon's Death

VANCOUVER, June 15.—A verdict for the plaintiff for \$12,000 and costs was returned by a jury today in the action brought by Mrs. Robert S. Lyon against the B. C. E. R. Co. Mrs. Lyon's husband was killed in the Lakeview accident on the Vancouver-New Westminster line last fall. According to the verdict, Mrs. Lyon will herself recover \$6,000, while each of her two children will receive \$3,000.

The defence was that Lyon was riding on an employee's pass, and that his relatives were not entitled to recover. Mrs. Lyon testified that the pass possessed by her husband was only good in New Westminster, and that her husband had been residing in Vancouver. The night before the accident he had shown her a return ticket, which he said he intended to use on the following day. Mr. McPhillips endeavored to upset this evidence by calling witnesses to show that conductors were in the habit of passing employees of the company without question, and that there was a strong probability that this had been done in the case of Lyon. Mr. Davis objected to such evidence, which, he said, was simply conjecture, and Mr. Justice Murphy ruled out the greater part of it. His Lordship said the jury would have to decide simply whether Lyon was travelling on a pass or as a passenger. If as the latter, his wife and children were entitled to compensation. If on a pass, they were not.

Mr. Davis made a vigorous appeal on behalf of his client, and asked the jury to award \$15,000. The late Mr. Lyon was a brother of Mr. Stewart Lyon, the Toronto journalist. This, with the previous verdicts, brings the total in suits arising out of this accident to nearly \$100,000.

RE-ORGANIZATION OF H. B. COMPANY

Coming Changes in Directorate Supposed to Indicate General Stirring Up—Canadian Committee Possible

LONDON, June 15.—The forecasted changes in the Hudson's Bay Company's board will be officially announced this week.

Some rumors are to the effect that the re-organization has been brought about by E. Guy Ridpath, of George Kitchen & Co., who has been working for years to secure more progressive administration. Mr. Ridpath is well known in Montreal, where he has been a frequent visitor. From all accounts there will be a general re-organization and an immense saving in the course of time. Lord Strathcona remains in office.

There are over 4,000 shareholders of the Hudson's Bay Company, many of whom are in Canada. Mr. Ridpath when seen declined to discuss the changes, but a Canadian committee is a possibility of the near future.

GREAT FRAUDS IN STOCK SALES

Officers of the United Wireless Company Are Accused of Swindling the Public on an Enormous Scale

THREE ARE ARRESTED BY P. O. INSPECTORS

Assets Worth \$400,000 Given Fictitious Value of \$100,000,000 by Manipulation of the Stock Prices on Mark

NEW YORK, June 15.—United States post office inspectors raided the handsome Broadway offices of the United Wireless Company, and caused the arrest of Christopher C. Wilson, president of the company, Samuel S. Bogart, first vice-president, and W. Tompkins, president of the New York selling agency, which officers of the wireless company say was formerly their fiscal agent, but has ceased to represent them. Chief Inspector Mayer later gave out a formal statement, in which he charges that although the company had been running at a loss, the price of its shares had been advanced by manipulation to fictitious values, and that the officers of the company have sold out their stock to the general public at a profit estimated in one instance at between five and ten millions, with other instances in proportion.

Wilson was released in \$25,000 bail, and Bogart in \$10,000 bail for appearance on July 12. Tompkins was arrested on his farm near Mahopac Falls, N. Y., and brought here for arraignment. He could not find the \$10,000 bail required, and spent the night in the Tombs.

The complaint on which warrants were issued is drawn on information of Carter B. Keene, a post office inspector, who deposes that the grounds of his belief are official investigations made by him on information obtained by him from the books of the said wireless telegraph company and the inspection of letters and envelopes sent by the post office establishment of the United States through the United States mail. The specific instance of alleged fraudulent use of the mails is given as the mailing of a letter on March 3, 1910, to Michael O'Brien, of Waterbury, Conn.

Looting the Public

"There are 28,000 shareholders of the company throughout the country," said Inspector Mayer in his statement, "many of whom have

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Canada's Cruiser

LONDON, June 15.—The Niobe, which will form the nucleus of Canada's new navy on the Atlantic, sails for Halifax at the end of July.

WISHES TO START WITH CLEAN SHEET

Premier Louis Botha Outlines His Policy for South Africa Wants to See National Party Formed

PRETORIA, June 15.—In declaring his policy General Louis Botha, premier of United South Africa, said there was no other way possible than to form a government from the governments already existing. Other steps would have been most fatal to South Africa, as investigation had clearly proved that the majority did not wish for a coalition ministry.

The time had come, he said, for starting with a clean sheet, and he hoped that the old party organizations, especially his own, would be dissolved and amalgamated into a great party with broad and wide principles and named the South African National party.

General Botha read a manifesto on the varied questions confronting the government, foremost among which is the task of welding the different races into a great people by applying sympathetic treatment to natives and colored people. It should also aim at the encouragement of the white population, he said, and the prevention of Asiatic immigration. It should have a broad educational policy as to the needs of the country workers, its duty to the Empire in regard to defence, development of its industries, mining, land settlement, encouragement of foreign capital, and the opening up of foreign markets.

To Be Deported

QUEBEC, June 15.—A man named Macdonald, who was taken from the steamer Cassandra on the charge of forgery against him in Scotland, has been given in charge of the immigration authorities and will be deported. Another immigrant who bought a bottle of gin has been sent up for three months, and on the expiration of his term will be deported.

TAKES POSSESSION OF COAL PROPERTIES

The sale of the Dunsmuir coal properties on Vancouver Island to Mr. William Mackenzie, of Mackenzie & Mann, was completed yesterday. The final payment was made and Mr. Mackenzie formally takes possession today.

This statement was authorized by Mr. Mackenzie late last evening, ere he left for Vancouver en route east. The president of the Canadian Northern railway will visit Victoria again in a few weeks time.

During the visit just concluded he met Hon. Richard McBride, premier of British Columbia, and discussed railway matters with him. He could say nothing with regard to the projected route of the Island railway, pending the receipt of the report of the engineers.

Mr. W. L. Coulson, general manager of the Canadian Collieries, the name of the company which will operate the properties acquired from the Hon. James Dunsmuir, is in charge from today on.

Third Class Passengers

LONDON, June 15.—In the Commons today Sidney Buxton, president of the board of trade, stated that complaints had reached him from third class passengers on some steamers going to Canada, and each case had been or was being investigated. Great care was taken, he said, to see that the statutory regulations regarding food and accommodation were being complied with.

PARENTS LOSING THEIR CHILDREN

Refinement of Cruelty Practiced by Russian Authorities in Connection With Expulsion of Jews.

KIEV, June 15.—The Kiev authorities have been ordered by the central government to proceed slowly in the matter of the expulsion of the Jews. They are instructed to grant those persons amenable to the decree of expulsion a longer or shorter delay for the settlement of their affairs as may be needed in each particular case, and further that they shall make no attempt to clear the city of all such persons within any fixed date.

These instructions practically mean that the Kiev authorities shall not resort to the dreaded deportation by "etappe," and it is now expected at least in Jewish circles that the rest of the year will be consumed before the last of the 1,602 families, who received official notification of their expulsion leave Kiev. One hundred and five individuals were expelled from this city today, 51 of whom had been given time to prepare for their departure without restriction, the other 54 receiving passports to a specified destination.

The widow of the well-known refugee, Gerstein, who fled from Odessa to Kiev during 1905, and who died here last January, had a pitiful experience with the new law. She was expelled by "etappe" from Kiev after her husband's death. She returned a few days ago to claim her children, a three-year-old girl and a five-year-old boy. She succeeded in tracing them first to a foundling asylum, where they had been baptized in the orthodox faith, and then to a village, where they had been sent for adoption. The mother has appealed to Governor Treppoff to restore her children to her and annul the baptismal rite.

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RECORD IS BROKEN BY ROYAL EDWARD

Canadian Northern Steamship Makes Fast Voyage Across Atlantic—Beats Empress of Ireland's Time

QUEBEC, June 15.—What is believed to be a trans-Atlantic record has been established by the steamer Royal Edward, of the Royal Steamship line, which arrived in port at 3 p.m. today.

The Royal Edward left Bristol at 7 p.m. on Thursday last, and by reaching here at 3 p.m. today establishes a record which is fifty minutes ahead of the best time yet made, which was by the Empress of Ireland.

After discharging Quebec passengers and freight here the Royal Edward left for Montreal.

Revenue Increased

OTTAWA, June 15.—Inland revenue receipts for the month of May totalled \$1,362,796, an increase of \$211,753 over the collection for May, 1909.

WARM WELCOME FOR MR. BORDEN

Great Meeting Held at Toronto Representative of City and Surrounding Ridings—Thousands in Attendance

KEEN CRITICISM OF GOVERNMENT

Opposition Leader Convincingly Shows How Resources of Country Are Squandered Under Laurier Regime

TORONTO, June 15.—The good old Conservative stronghold of Toronto, which will always cheer for Sir Wilfrid Laurier, but never vote for him, gave R. L. Borden a right royal welcome today. The opposition leader addressed a monster crowd at Long Branch, and the splendid reception he was accorded was convincing in its whole-hearted spontaneity.

Although today's meeting was held under the auspices of the Conservatives of Wards 5 and 6 of this city, and Long Branch is in the riding of West Toronto, there were large delegations from the various ridings of York and Peel, and upwards of 3,000 people heard the Conservative leader criticise the present and past work of the Laurier government.

The feature of the tour so far has been the original subject matter of the addresses delivered by Mr. Borden and his chief lieutenant from St. Anne's, Montreal. The speeches have not been mere reiterations in a general way of the misdeeds of the government. Concrete cases of the wanton manner in which the money of the people is being wasted by the "band of wastrels and profligates," as Mr. Borden put it, are given and in a quiet logical way. The audience is made to see that the present administration are unworthy stewards of Canada's heritage, with a record of unbusinesslike transactions which would be sufficient to sweep them from power were the country only seized of the real facts of the case.

German Capital for Canada

CALGARY, June 15.—J. J. Blakelice, manager of the Canadian house established in Berlin, Germany, to promote interest in Canada and its investments, interviewed here today said: "Financial interests now evince marked interest in Canada. In fact a large amount of German capital is now available for investment in the Canadian west, mines, timber limits and agricultural lands being in demand. Syndicates desiring timber limits will introduce a new system of lumbering into Canada. They will follow the methods adopted in Germany, whereby forests are preserved for all time. Great care will be taken to cut only trees that have reached their prime."

PROGRESS OF WORK ON TRANSCONTINENTAL

Construction Up to End of March Includes Sixty-Three Per Cent of Total Mileage—Figures of Outlay

OTTAWA, June 15.—Construction work on the National Transcontinental railway has made good progress in the past year, according to the figures of the annual report for the fiscal year ending March 31.

To the end of December, 912 miles of track were laid, and in the intervening period 199 miles. Sixty-three per cent of the railway work is now finished and 45 per cent of the bridging. The mileage of track totals 210 and of siding 155 miles. A total of 365 miles is graded.

The expenditure is \$71,687,993, of which \$58,250,000 was spent in grading, \$7,201,000 on rails, \$8,237,038 in engineering and expenses. On the Winnipeg workshops the outlay has been \$485,000.

QUEBEC, June 15.—After two lengthy meetings of the city council it was unanimously decided last night to adopt the report of the finance committee, accepting the offer of \$200,000 made by Hon. Mr. Parent of the National Transcontinental railway for Champlain market.

Water Power Deal

FREDICTON, N. B., June 15.—Negotiations for the transfer of the Grand Falls Company's interests in the water power at Grand Falls to a syndicate headed by Sir Wm. C. Van Horne, are said to be likely to reach conclusion soon.

Nearing Home

CAPE RACE, Nfld., June 15.—The steamer Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, which includes among its passengers former President Roosevelt, was 1,165 miles east of Sandy Hook at noon today. She should be off the Hook about 8.30 o'clock Saturday morning and dock about 11 o'clock.

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The Cleared Lots at Qualicum Beach, Newcastle District, are now on the market in tracts of from thirty to forty acres.

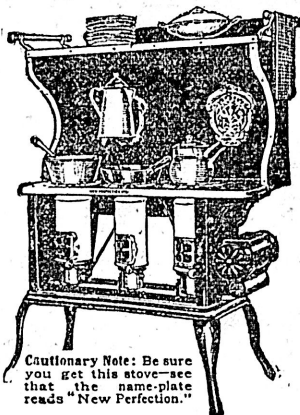
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The joint committee of Alberni and Port Alberni met on Saturday last to consider arrangements for the development league convention which opens in that city on July 15th. Sub-committees were appointed and the work of preparation for the affair commenced. The tentative programme includes a meeting in Alberni on the night of the

15th and a morning meeting in Port Alberni on the 16th with drives through the district in the afternoon. A banquet will be held in the evening and on the following day an excursion down Barkley Sound will be made.

Lifebuoy Soap—Disinfectant—Is strongly recommended by the medical profession as a safeguard against infection.

DISMISSED WHEN HE REFUSED TO RESIGN

Editor Clements of Penticton Press Deposed From Office As Justice of the Peace by the Attorney General

W. J. Clements, editor of the Penticton Press, was summarily dismissed from the office of justice of the peace by Hon. W. J. Bowser yesterday. This action follows the editorial recently printed by Clements in his paper, in which he alluded in disrespectful terms to his late majesty and in a manner which aroused the indignation of the entire community. The Attorney-General gave Clements a chance to resign, but the latter seemed to have no proper sense of the magnitude of his offence, and declined.

COUNCIL STANDS BY FIRST ACTION

Refuses to Reconsider Decision Relative to Engagement of More Legal Talent to Fight Country Club

By a vote of five to four the city council, in special meeting last night refused to accept the suggestion of Mayor Morley that reconsideration be given the decision arrived at last Monday night not to adopt the report of the council's legislative committee recommending that Mr. Fred Peters, K.C., be engaged as additional counsel to advise the city and take such steps as deemed necessary to prevent the Country Club from using the city property at the fair grounds for the proposed forthcoming meet.

His Worship, in anticipation that the council would decide to reconsider Monday night's motion had ready a form of resolution which he intended asking the council to pass but in view of the fact that that body refused to do any reconsidering the mayor's alternative motion was not put.

A large deputation of members of the Voters' League was in attendance and advanced arguments why the club was detrimental to the city to permit the holding of another race meet here. Last year's meet and its results, results most detrimental to the city it was claimed, were referred to, and argument was advanced, particularly by Alderman Langley, who purely the legal aspect of the case, that the Country Club has no legal status on the race track and because it failed to apply to the city for permission to hold the meet, as was the arrangement between the B. C. Agricultural association and itself last year before the sixty day race, therefore it should not be permitted to hold a meet this year.

Expected the Topic.

While the members of the board fully expected that the race topic would form the chief item of the bill of fare the subject was not broached until the reading of a communication from Right Reverend Bishop Perrin, addressed to the mayor, in which His Lordship stated that he regretted he could not be one of the deputation which would wait upon the council but he hoped that the council would do its utmost to prevent the meet and pointing out that it was only a question of money and the fear of involving the city in a lawsuit he was sure there were members who could be willing to help. His Lordship continued: "After the disgraceful orgy of last year I confess that I am astonished that the Country Club should attempt to organize any racing this year. It seems to me they ought to have dissolved the club. All honor to those members who have resigned."

Mayor Morley stated Alderman McKeown had given him the letter of Bishop Perrin and Alderman McKeown said he had received it from Mr. John Meston. Alderman Meston asked if the council had invited any deputation but His Worship answered he did not know but doubtless the deputation would arrive later.

The deputation arrived when the question was again taken up by Mayor Morley asking for reconsideration of the legislative committee's report, rejected on Monday night. The mayor gave the following reasons for his request.

The Mayor's Reasons

1. The Mayor is charged by the act with the enforcement of the city's ordinances. It is obviously the duty of the council to support and assist the mayor in their enforcement.
2. The council, in voting down the motion to adopt the ordinances of the city council. In other words, determining that they be not enforced, particularly as to Bylaws No. 541 and 691, together with the resolution passed on May 10th, 1910.

3. Because inaction on the part of the council means a repetition for six days of the conditions that maintained during the sixty day race meet last year, with a further repetition in this and the following four years.
4. Because the honor and welfare and dignity of the city and of the city council are at stake.

His Worship also asked that when the matter was opened for consideration the following resolution might be passed:

"That the city grant to the Country Club a permit for a six days' racing on Monday afternoon sent by special messenger to Mr. George Frazer, managing director of the Country Club, a letter pointing out that it was his duty to inform the club that the latter must comply with the city bylaw by applying

Notified Club.

His Worship explained that he had on Monday afternoon sent by special messenger to Mr. George Frazer, managing director of the Country Club, a letter pointing out that it was his duty to inform the club that the latter must comply with the city bylaw by applying

for a permit to hold a race meeting and unless such were done he would take steps to stop the meet unless the provisions of the bylaw were in all respects complied with. The mayor believed the reason the club had not replied was because it was determined to carry on the meet under the same conditions as existed last year, conditions which the city would never have consented to and no permit to allow of such would have been issued by the city. Had the club put in its application and shown that it was prepared to carry on a clean meet with no objectionable features, undoubtedly the council would have given its consent. It looked as if the council, by its vote on Monday night, favored a repetition of last year's disgraceful proceedings. Personally, his worship was not opposed to a clean, well regulated race meet but nothing such as last year's.

At this stage the deputation was introduced and Mr. Andrews spoke on behalf of the Voters' League, an organization including 1000 voters. He referred to the disgraceful scenes attending the sixty-day meet last year, and pointed out that after the last municipal election both the city papers had urged the mayor to deal strongly with the racing problem and this attitude of the papers represented the feelings of ninety per cent. of the citizens. The mayor's action of the past few days should be heartily commended and supported by the council as it is by the citizens at large. When the Miller bill was before the federal legislature every member of British Columbia had supported the original measure. They were against allowing the east-off professional gamblers from the States being permitted to exercise their calling in this province. Mr. Andrews cited the universal outcry against the stand taken by Hon. Mr. Aylesworth, federal minister of justice, who voted against the measure, the only member of the Dominion cabinet to do so. Last year's sixty-day meet was said to have cost \$200,000 to run. Who paid this enormous sum for what was simply a "saturnalia of rascality and robbery." To the reputed claim of the Country Club for the cost of stables, etc., erected at the track, Mr. Andrews advised the council to pay no heed. The club made its profits out of the meet, the whole transaction was a mere gamble and the club took its chance to make a profit. Where would be those same buildings had the Miller Bill as introduced, passed? To give permission to the club this year would in all likelihood legalize racing here for another five years.

Cautions Council.

Other speakers followed in similar vein while Mr. William Blakemore, who stated he was present solely as a citizen and not as an advocate of the Country Club, cautioned the city against taking any steps which would merely hand it in more legal difficulties, difficulties which it has already experienced with disastrous results.

Mayor Morley interrupted Mr. Blakemore several times, declaring the latter had no right to come before the council and discuss the legal status of the matter. If Mr. Blakemore wished to present one side or the other of the question he could do so. Mr. Blakemore declared it was a slur on many of the best people in the city to hint that they had patronized a "saturnalia of rascality and robbery."

Alderman Langley pointed out that he was not opposing the club but in view of the arrangements between the Country Club and the Agricultural association early last year when it was arranged that the club was to hold a meet, or meets, in 1909 at \$60 per day rental and to have the privilege of holding meets in the four following years provided the council concurred, the council's assent must now be secured. The council last year when the wishes of the Country Club had been communicated to it had placed itself on record that it reserved to itself the right to refuse any privilege to the club should any improper use be made of the race track and last year's meet had certainly been an improper one. The lease under which the club is operating was never seen by the council, nor had that body anything to do with its terms. As far as he could see it was the city council which had been "flim flammed" by the Country Club. "I am flamed," the council asserted itself and insisted on having a say in what shall be done on its own property.

Alderman Bannerman was not in favor of race meets, but he was afraid of law suits, and with all the legal talent the city has now engaged, he thought it absurd to engage another lawyer, as the legislative committee's report suggested. That was why he voted against the adoption of that report Monday night. In fact, he declared that the legislative committee's report did not secure a majority of that committee, having been signed but by three of the six members on the committee.

Still Chance for Club

Mayor Morley pointed out that if the council would reconsider its action of Monday night the resolution would not bar the Country Club from holding a meet, but that meet would have to be held in conformity with the provisions of by-law 541, a by-law which is referred to in the club's lease from the Agricultural association. He failed to see why the club should raise any objections to complying with the wishes of the council if it intended to hold a clean meeting.

The argument waxed long, but finally when the motion to reconsider Monday night's motion turning down the report was put, Aldermen Humber, Bannerman, Raymond, Bishop, Mable and Ross voted against it, and the mayor and Aldermen Fullerton, McKeown and Langley for.

"We had better take the names as they voted," suggested the mayor.
"And photos too," ejaculated Alderman Mable, who moved that the meeting adjourn.

"Alderman Mable always wishes to adjourn just when we have a lot of important business to transact," remarked the mayor, to whom the alderman retorted that the council wasted so much time in holding a "hot air" session for political purposes that there was not time left to attend to business worth attending to.

When Mayor Morley was asked who was going to pay the bill of Mr. Peters for his attendance in court yesterday on behalf of the city, the city not being responsible, since the council had expressly decided not to engage Mr. Peters, the mayor stated that he had told the city solicitor to engage Mr. Peters, and that if there was any question of who should pay the latter's bill he would do so himself.

Charles Moore, P. L. S., C. E., with a party of eight men, has started the new road from the fire engine on Summit Creek. The connecting up of this wagon road links up East and West Kootenay and makes Creston the natural supply point for the mining region near the Bayonne camp.

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INSTITUTES DEAN AND CANONS

Interesting Ceremony Marks Installation of Officials at Christ Church Cathedral—The Garden Party

Christ Church Cathedral was crowded yesterday afternoon at the service at three o'clock, when the installation of the new dean and canons took place, the ceremony proving most interesting. The service commenced with the singing of the professional hymn, "The Church of the Foundation," after which the Bishop ascended to the pulpit and read the old Bidding Prayer, which was used at the memorial service in honor of the late King, and is in use in the cathedrals of England. He then read the statutes which are to bind the new chapter, giving the relations between the bishop and the rector of Christ Church cathedral, one of whom is always to be the dean. The canons are to preach once in each year, and the chapter is to be summoned not less than twice in each year.

After having promulgated these statutes, the bishop said a few words, pointing out the fact that the cathedral is the mother church of the diocese and ought to set before the people the highest ideal of the worship of God. He referred to its being at present a wooden building, but expressed the hope that before long it might be more worthy of its object, worship.

He welcomed the clergy of the other Christian bodies who were present, and who occupied seats immediately below the pulpit. He assured them of the earnest wish of the newly formed chapter to work with them in all possible ways for the advancement of all moral questions and in fighting against the evils of the day. He earnestly prayed that the worship of the church might be essentially spiritual and never content itself with forms, however beautiful they may be.

New Officers Instituted

After the address, a hymn was sung and the creed repeated. The bishop then instituted the Rev. A. J. Doull, M. A., the newly appointed rector of Christ Church, as dean of the cathedral, and Archdeacon Scriven conducted him to the seat allotted him in the sanctuary. Mr. Lindley Crease, as chancellor of the diocese, then formally declared to the people the fact of the dean's installation. After this the Rev. C. E. Cooper, M. A., rector of St. Saviour's and the Rev. J. A. Leaky, rector of St. Peter's Cowichan, knelt and were instituted as canons of the cathedral and were conducted to their stalls by the dean.

The chancellor again declared that they had been duly appointed and the service closed with the singing of another hymn, and the benediction.

The Bishop and Mrs. Perrin entertained between 450 and 500 guests in the gardens of Bishopsclose after the service. The day was a beautiful one, and the garden, with its flower beds and beautiful shrubbery, were a delightful sight. Amongst those who were present were: Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Paterson, Bishop McDonald, Hon. E. G. and Mrs. Prior, Hon. Edward Dewdney and Mrs. Dewdney, Lady Crease, Chief Justice and Mrs. Macdonald, Mr. Justice Martin and Mrs. Martin, Mr. Justice Irving, Mrs. Dunsmuir, Mrs. McBride and Mrs. Eberts. The clergy who were present at the church and the At Home were: Archdeacon Scriven, Rev. W. B. Allen, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet, Rev. E. G. Miller, Rev. J. S. Ard, Rev. G. A. Bagshaw, Rev. W. Barton, Rev. T. B. Leake, Rev. G. Cook, Rev. J. Watt, and Rev. J. Gardiner.

Amongst the clergy of other denominations present were: The Rev. Dr. Campbell, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, Rev. Dr. Reid, Rev. J. A. McCoy, Rev. A. E. Roberts, Rev. E. M. Miller and Rev. W. Collins.

GREAT FRAUDS IN STOCK SALES

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placed their savings in the stock of the company through false representations made by its officers. The real assets of the company, consisting of land, patents, manufacturing plants and real estate of all kinds, appear to be worth at a conservative estimate \$400,000 or an actual worth of two cents a share at par value. Two million shares have been issued at a par value of \$10 a share, but the stock has recently been put up to \$50 a share. Thus argues the inspector in his statement: "By taking the last amount quoted (\$400,000) of actual assets, instead of \$50 a share, the stock is really worth as \$400,000 is to \$100,000,000, or 0.004 a share."

A resume of the company's history follows. The inspector says it was originally incorporated under the laws of Maine in 1904 as the Amalgamated Wireless Securities Company, and that it had merely a legal existence until it changed its name in 1906 to its present title, and took over the assets and business of the defunct American De Forest Wireless Telegraph Company, which was then running at a loss, and in default in its bonds, exchanging therefor its own securities on a ten for one basis.

"At this time," says the statement, when officers of the De Forest Company were secretly conspiring to abandon it and leave the stockholders a mass of wireless securities, its stock had been forced to an alleged value of \$12.50 a share, or \$2.50 above par. In the statement issued to the stockholders (of the United) there appeared as an asset stocks and bonds in other companies, \$11,148,610. This refers to the defunct American De Forest wireless stock.

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any explanations to make, but a statement was given out by C. C. Calbraith, general manager of the United, in which he says:

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Arthur M. King, counsel for the United, said tonight that for several months the post office department had been pursuing the company here and elsewhere. He attributed the present prosecution to the discontent of certain stockholders who might

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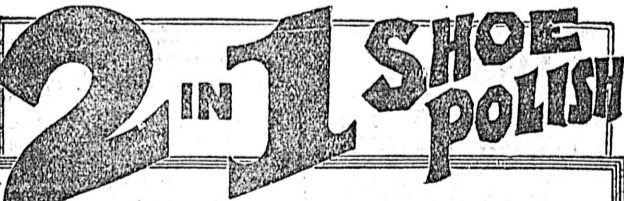
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BRITISH AUTHOR VISITS VICTORIA

Mr. Frank F. Bullen, Author of Marine Stories Here in Course of Tour of the Dominion

Frank F. Bullen, the noted British author, whose first book, "The Cruise of the Cachet" attracted so much attention and has since been followed by 27 others, arrived in the city yesterday by the steamer Princess Charlotte, and is at the Empress Hotel.

"I am taking a leisurely tour through Canada, said Mr. Bullen in an interview given to the Colonist yesterday, "as special correspondent of the London Express, and to see this glorious country for myself. I intend to write a handbook for the Canadian Northern Railway company, and whose auspices I am travelling, and whose guest I am. I have, during the past seven or eight years travelled no less than seventy thousand miles on similar errands, and never in all my life have I seen such a wonderful, magnificent and interesting country. I do not go there because I am in Canada. I shall say it wherever I go. It seems to get more interest and more wonderful the further West I come. I thought I had reached the limit when I had arrived at Winnipeg, but had only reached the beginning. The prairie belt, about Saskatoon, is wonderful. I was met there by a man who talked as though with a megaphone. I told him he had no need to shout the country to me; it shouted itself. Just imagine six years ago there were 113 people in this wonderful city, now 12,000. The deep loam of the prairie is still on the street, so quick has been its development. Then northward I went to Prince Albert. I saw another set of conditions which staggered me: the great lumber mill, the forests, etc.

The Flood of Wheat

"The projection of this railroad of Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann, who can see what it means? It means still further development on a magnitude hard to grasp. It is as though a 20,000 ton steamer was being brought right into the heart of our rich country and fed with grain. Fast, however, as they build the railroad, they cannot compete with the flood of wheat. New outlets are needed, railroads are needed.

"The railroad into British Columbia and through to the coast will be pushed forward as rapidly as possible. It is in the best interests of the company as well as of the country, to hurry development. As you know, Mr. William Mackenzie brought \$40,000,000 from London with him, and this is for development in Canada. The country wants another railroad, it wants several more railroads, and even these will be inadequate to keep pace with the remarkable growth of the country. The C. P. R. is doing all that one railroad can do, but if its engines were not moving great trains of 35 huge box cars, there would be nothing but congestion.

"I have admired the great scenic beauties of Canada, but the admiration has been given most to the gigantic potentialities of the country, its great possibilities, resources, commerce and wealth.

Mr. Bullen is a guest at the Empress hotel.

Welshman by birth but his appearance would indicate that he has negro blood in his veins.

FOREST FIRES RAGE

Country Around Fort William and Port Arthur Ablaze—Farms in Danger.

FORT WILLIAM, Ont., June 15.—Scores of fire rangers and many citizens of Fort William and Port Arthur left this morning to fight bush fires that are raging in townships of Pigeon, Neelung, McIntyre and O'Connor, that adjoin Twin Cities. Hundreds of farmers are in danger of being burned out, and the loss to timber will be heavy.

The weather has been extremely warm for several days, and with the dry condition of timber the fire has secured great headway. It was necessary to shut down the Kam power plant at Kakabeka Falls yesterday to send out the employees to fight flames. They were successful in combating the danger.

Hymers, on the Canadian Northern, is surrounded by fires. Crown Timber Agent Oliver says he has received twenty-five urgent appeals for help from settlers to fight the fire, which at noon today was covering a distance of three townships.

POLITICIANS ARE ASKED TO ATTEND

Efforts to Make Development League's Annual Meeting Thoroughly Representative of Island's Interests

It is estimated that over three hundred people will attend the annual meeting of the Vancouver Island Development League, to be held in Alberni on the 16th prox. A meeting of the Victoria branch was held yesterday to discuss details connected with the trip to Alberni, and at the gathering, which was well attended, it was decided to invite Premier McBride and the members of the provincial cabinet, the Hon. William Templeman, Mr. G. H. Barnard, M. P., and Mr. Ralph Smith, M. P., to be present. The league is anxious to make the annual meeting one entirely representative of Island interests.

The welcoming address to the delegates from all parts of the island will be delivered by Lieut-Col. E. G. Prior, the president of the league. The local delegates, composed of practically all the most prominent members of the Victoria branch, will journey to Alberni by train and motor, and probably five days will be spent in investigating the resources of the Alberni and Barkley Sound districts. The Ducrest, Stump Pulling company has agreed to give a demonstration of land clearing in the Alberni district during the visit of the delegates, and an instructive and enjoyable programme is being arranged to the putting an epoch in the publicity propaganda which is being carried on.

The actual sessional meeting of the league will probably be completed in a day, so that ample time for sight seeing will be available.

With Smallpox Aboard

HALIFAX, June 15.—The steamer Uranium, of the Uranium steamship company, put in today on her way from Rotterdam to New York, with 292 passengers. Among them was one passenger sick with smallpox. The victim was landed at the quarantine station, as were all the passengers, eleven of whom were second class and the balance steerage. The second class passengers will be released tomorrow and the steamer will be allowed to proceed at noon.

Militia Camp at London

LONDON, Ont., June 15.—Nearly 2,000 men are in camp at Carlings Heights, according to the estimate of the Army Service Corps, who are baking bread. The 8th Regiment came but two companies strong, which accounts for the decrease of about 200 from last year. Lieut. Beardmore, Toronto, and Capt. W. H. Linton, Hamilton, are among the staff officers from outside. One man was arrested last night for striking an officer. The sights of all Lee-Enfield rifles will be replaced during camp by Sutherland sights, the men using the Ross rifle at the range.

SESSION STANDS ADJOURNED AGAIN

Insurance Commission Awaits Arrival of Mr. Bodwell—Mr. Shallcross Indicates Course He Will Take

The final sitting of the insurance commission was adjourned yesterday until this morning owing to the enforced absence of Mr. E. V. Bodwell, K. C. Mr. Shallcross, who represents the policy holders, stated in asking for the adjournment, that a strong case would be made out against the companies. He said he would produce a number of witnesses, among them H. B. Bullen, who would give evidence regarding policies covering a number of risks. Mr. Scanlon, who was to compare policies issued in British Columbia and the United States, Mr. Short of Challoner & Mitchell and others. Mr. Shallcross asked if more evidence was required on the point of rates. He said: "If the commission will say it is satisfied that the rates are extortionate we will not need to produce further evidence."

B. S. Lorne, chairman, said: "I don't think the commission will commit itself to anything like that." He asked if witnesses concerning municipal license fees were to be called, and Mr. Shallcross stated that Mr. Dowler, city clerk, and probably others would be called, and he would bring evidence to refute the statement that there was no fire marshal in Victoria.

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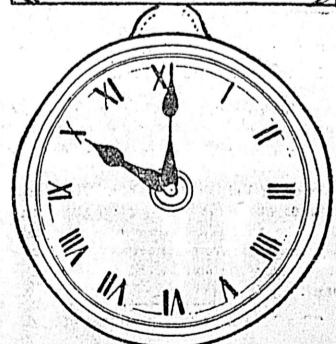


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MR. BARNARD'S SPEECH

Mr. Barnard's speech at the A. O. U. W. Hall meeting was in excellent tone. The part of it which attracted the most attention was the reference to the Canadian navy, and especially his remarks about the establishment of a complete naval unit on the Pacific Coast. The views of this paper on this subject are well known. We have favored the adoption of a permanent naval policy; but we have also urged that the suggestion of the Admiralty for the establishment of a complete unit here ought to have been adopted, no matter what else may have been done. The quotation which Mr. Barnard gave from Mr. Fielding's speech bears out his view that the decision of the Government was influenced more by political considerations than by the demands of a wise policy framed in Imperial interests. We are willing to concede that the first duty of Canadians is to Canada, but if there are two ways in which that duty can be discharged, one of which is more in the interests of the Empire than the other, that one should be chosen. The judgment of the Admiralty on a matter of this kind ought to be better than that of the members of the Dominion Cabinet, and the Admiralty favored a complete unit on this Coast. We think with Mr. Barnard that this idea ought to have been acted upon by the Dominion Government, even if it meant that the Atlantic seaboard should for the time being be left without any home defence. The Royal Navy could look after the Eastern provinces and will have to do so in any event for years to come. The Pacific Coast will be substantially defenceless, for although the vessels to be stationed here will be well enough as far as they go, they will not constitute the nucleus of a fighting force, and they will not be of much service if called upon to act in conjunction with the ships of Australia and New Zealand and the vessels of the Royal Navy on the China station. We find ourselves able to agree with Mr. Barnard wholly on this point, and as our readers know we have taken an absolutely independent view of the naval question, discussing it on our own lines, irrespective of what political leaders on either side might say. Therefore, when we say that we are able to agree with Mr. Barnard in his views as to what would have been the proper way for Canada to have discharged its self-imposed duties, we give it an independent endorsement, which may or may not add to its value.

Mr. Barnard's whole speech was one that met with hearty approval from all who heard it or read the report of it in the Colonist yesterday. He is not a gentleman who thinks it necessary to be violent in what he says. As a stranger in the city, who was present at the meeting, said, he impressed his hearers as a man who is sincere, and who desires to be fair. He made a very excellent impression and strengthened the hold that he has upon his political friends and the whole constituency.

THE KING AND THE EMPIRE

The suggestion that the King should open the Imperial Conference of 1911 is a very good one. We venture to add to it the further suggestion that the date of holding the Conference should coincide with the Coronation, if it is possible.

The London Times thinks that much good would result from a tour of the Empire by His Majesty. There can be no doubt on that point, but we suppose there might be some reasons why he might not find it convenient to be so long absent from Great Britain as a visit to South Africa or Australia would require. There would be no serious difficulty in the way of a visit to Ottawa, especially to so good a sailor as he is. The trans-Atlantic trip would only be a pleasant outing for him and the Queen; but here again a difficulty would arise in case the Duke of Connaught is appointed governor-general, for it would hardly be thought proper for the King and the person named as Regent to be out of the kingdom at the same time. If such a tour could be arranged it would do a vast amount of good, for it would be an outward and visible sign of Imperial Unity, and although there can be no doubt as to the strength of that sentiment in all parts of the Dominions beyond Seas, it would be a very excellent thing if we could have such a conspicuous demonstration of its reality. We can easily believe that the suggestion will appeal very strongly to His Majesty, more especially as he is as much at home on the sea as on land. We may add that the accession of George V.

seems likely to stimulate into greater activity than over the sentiment which works for imperial solidarity.

A UNIQUE PUBLICATION

Dr. Silas Alward, K.C., of St. John, has issued a pamphlet that is unique in its way. Thirty years ago Dr. Alward visited the West, and when he returned home, he delivered a lecture entitled "Our Western Heritage." It was regarded at that time as a very valuable presentment of an exceedingly important subject, and it was certainly an appreciative description of the possibilities of Western Canada and a glowing forecast of its future.

Last February Dr. Alward delivered another lecture. It was entitled "Thirty Years After," and in it he tells of what has been accomplished during the three decades. The two lectures are printed in a pamphlet, which is interesting reading from beginning to end. In the second one he quotes an article that appeared in London Truth, in October, 1881, when the Canadian Pacific Syndicate were seeking to float a loan of \$10,000,000. It is worth reproducing in order to show how some people in the United Kingdom looked upon Canada at that time.

"The Canadian Pacific Railway will run, if ever finished, through a country frost-bound for eight months of the year, and one about as forbidding as anything on the face of the earth. British Columbia is barren, cold, mountainous—not worth keeping. Fifty railways would not galvanize it into prosperity. The Canadians are not such idiots as to part with one dollar of their own for this scheme. They come to England. Canadians know that the road will never yield a single red cent of the money sunk into it. People cannot stand the cold of Manitoba. Men and cattle are frozen to death in astonishing numbers. Manitoba's street nuisances kill the people with malaria, or drive them mad with plagues of insects. It is through a death-dealing land of this kind that the railway is to run. Canada is one of the most over-rated colonies we have. Ontario is the only sound province, and the only one where you can lend money and ever hope to see it back. One of these days Ontario is certain to go over to the States; when that day comes, the Dominion will disappear. The Province and City of Quebec are both notoriously bankrupt. Once the country is thoroughly committed to this railway, I see nothing but bankruptcy ahead of it. This Dominion, in short, is a fraud, and bound to burst up like any other fraud."

It is almost inconceivable that such ideas should have been entertained only less than thirty years ago. They were not due to lack of means of learning the truth, but are explained on the ground that at that time people refused to believe that the Dominion could be what explorers said it was. After all it is not very surprising that the editor of a London paper should have made such an error, for about that time Professor Macoun stated to a committee of the House of Commons at Ottawa, that cattle would thrive at Calgary, only to have his statement greeted with hilarity. Dr. Alward has done well to present his observations to the public in the form of such an interesting pamphlet.

Mr. Gifford Pinchoot says that men's minds harden by standing pat. There is something in that.

President Taft wants United States settlers in Canada to come back home. It will take more than his siren song to lure them from a land of liberty, equality and prosperity.

Victoria has as a visitor today Mr. Frank T. Bullen, the well known author, whose works on matters pertinent to the sea are so widely read. We have a brief interview with him in another column.

There is a fine chance for aviators to show what they can do in the way of flying out in this part of the world. The man who will follow the route of the triangular service in an aerodrome will make a record for himself.

New York Herald thinks that Sir Wilfrid Laurier's tour may have been suggested by President Taft's. The Herald is mistaken if it supposes that Sir Wilfrid has to look to Washington for pointers as to how to run the good old game of politics. He is a past grand master in all the tricks of the trade.

A Chicago paper remarks that all marriages seem to be experimental nowadays. When were they anything else? Fortunately in the very great majority of cases the experiment is successful, and this is because almost any two people of opposite sexes can get along together, if they really want to. The divorce habit is a disease.

It is announced that the Canadian Pacific and the Canadian Northern both contemplate the construction of railways from Edmonton to the Peace River country. That seems a long way around to reach the northeast corner of British Columbia. We would like to see some railway company undertake to build a line by the shortest possible route across this province from the southwest to the northeast.

The Mayor is in somewhat of a dilemma because of the proceedings he has instituted in respect to the proposed race meeting. The demand for the production of a retainer in court is a somewhat unusual proceeding, although of course it is perfectly regular. If counsel could appear without being properly retained, no end of trouble might be caused litigants, for it follows that in the event of costs being obtained against a party who had not authorized proceedings they could not be collected.

If our amiable neighbors to the south had had any idea of the riches around the head of Portland Canal they would not have regarded the settlement of the boundary question with equanimity. It was surely a lucky thing that these discoveries made there were made after the boundary award had been reached, and the boundary posts had been set up. If they had happened sooner very serious complications might have arisen.

We must again remind correspondents that we cannot undertake to return their letters, which we do not print. No newspaper office charges itself with any such duty. Indeed, no periodical undertakes to return even valuable MSS. unless they are sent in by request. The most they do is to promise to endeavor to return them if return postage is sent. The Colonist will receive perhaps a score of letters on a variety of subjects every day. Those it can use, it prints; those it cannot use are thrown into the waste paper basket. If correspondents regard their letters as valuable, they ought to preserve copies of them.

It would be well if proprietors of places in which exhibitions of moving pictures are given would be a little particular as to what they show. There never has been so far as we are aware, any reason to complain that the pictures are indecent, but sometimes they are brutal and their effect upon the minds of children cannot be good. A good moving picture show is a very pleasing and may be an exceedingly profitable entertainment to both old and young; but exhibitions of coarseness and vulgarity ought to be avoided. There is not much reason to complain on this score in Victoria, but there ought not to be any.

Mr. Fritz Reininghaus, of Zurich, wants to reform the Calendar. He proposes that we shall divide the year into twelve entire months of 28 days each and two half-months of 14 days each. The 26th day of the year and the extra day of Leap Year are to be put at the end of the year, and are to bear neither the name nor date of a week-day. He claims as an advantage for this system that every day of the week would fall on the same day of the month for all time to come, that each month would always begin on the same day of the week, and the week and month would become the units of measurement of time. There are some things to be said in favor of the change, but Mr. Reininghaus will have a good deal of difficulty in persuading people to make it.

Some little misapprehension may arise from the manner in which the telegraphic despatches have told of the royal message to Parliament in regard to the Civil List. Of course persons familiar with the conduct of public affairs will not be misled, but those who are not may be under the impression that His Majesty has been making certain demands upon Parliament. He is, of course, doing nothing of the kind. It is necessary when a new sovereign ascends the throne for Parliament to make certain financial arrangements, and all that has happened in this case is simply a matter of routine. Money votes are always proposed by Royal Message, and that is all that the matter referred to consists of. In a smaller way the same sort of thing is done in our own legislature, only the Message is from the Lieutenant-Governor.

Street-car travel is increasing very rapidly in Victoria, and it is time we adopted more metropolitan regulations than those at present in force. For example there is no reason at all, why persons should be permitted to stand upon either platform and smoke. It may be said that it can make no difference to passengers whether there are smokers on the front platform or not, but it would if a regulation requiring passengers to leave the cars from the front platform were adopted. At present nearly every one in a Victoria street car sits near the rear door as possible. That is to say the car fills up first at the rear end. It ought to fill up first at the front. This does not make so much difference when a car is only comfortably full, but it does when one is crowded. If passengers knew that they had to get off at the front, they would move up to the front, and we would no longer see the aisles blocked by persons who persist in standing near the rear door. Moreover if passengers entered at the rear and got out at the front there would be much less delay at stopping places, and people would not be compelled to stand and wait while others were getting off. We suggest, therefore, to the tramway people that they should provide a new regulation requiring passengers to get on at the rear and off at the front. It would be an advantage to the conductors as well as to the public and a saving of time at each stop where passengers got on and off, which in the aggregate might amount to considerable in a run. The car from the Outer Wharf to Cloverdale Avenue may have to make perhaps a hundred stops on a round trip. At least there are about fifty stopping places. Needless delay for a fraction of a minute might, therefore, easily make a great difference in the time occupied in a round trip. It is the duty of the public to facilitate the operation of these public utilities as far as possible, not so much in the interest of the owners as in their own.

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Some Splendid Pieces in Either Italian or Royal Saxe China

Another seasonable piece of china is the salad bowl—it's a much used piece of tableware at this season of the year. We have a splendid variety of hand-painted china salad bowls from the leading china makers of the World.

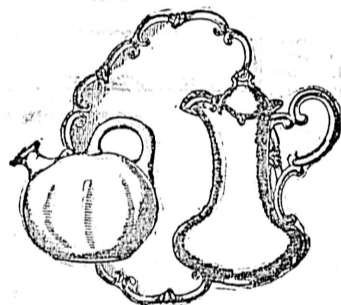
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The assortment is by far the largest we have shown, and of course the best collection in the city. China painters shouldn't fail to inspect these offerings.

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Covered Bon Bons, at, each 85¢
Pen Trays, at, each 40¢
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Hair Receivers, at, each 50¢
Candlesticks, at 50c and 35¢
Match Holders, at 25¢
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Ring Stands, at, each 35¢
Hat Pin Holders, at 35¢
Powder Boxes, at, each 35¢
Ash Receivers, at 25¢
Napkin Rings, at 50¢
Moustache Cups 25¢
Egg Cups, at, each 10¢
Toothpick Holders, at 35¢
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Spoon Trays, at 35¢
Mustard Pots, at 25¢
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Hot Milk Jugs, at 60¢
Grape Fruit Dishes, at, per dozen \$4.50
Marmalade Jars, at 90¢
Bon Bon Dishes, at 60c and 50¢
Tea Pots, at \$1.00 and 75¢
Covered Sugars, at 65c and 60¢
Butter Dishes, at \$1.25
Chocolate Cups and Saucers, per dozen \$4.50
Cream Jugs, at 25¢
Mugs, at, each 25¢
Chocolate Pots, each \$1.25
Bouillon Cups and Saucers, per dozen \$6.00
Cape Plates, each 75¢
Plates, per dozen, \$4.00 to \$2.50
Salad Bowls, at \$1.00 and 75¢
Round Tea Trays, at \$1.00

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. G. E. Powell left last night on the Charmer for Vancouver.

Mr. J. H. Lawson went over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer.

Mr. Stuart Henderson left last night for Vancouver on the Charmer.

Capt. Gaudin went over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer.

Mr. W. J. Peadray left last night on a business trip to Vancouver.

Dr. M. C. Baquell, from Kaslo, is in town on a short visit.

Mrs. Chris Spencer will not receive on Friday, nor again till September.

Capt. Margeson left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver.

Hon. E. L. Carter Cotton went over to Vancouver last night.

Mrs. Maynard left last night on a short trip to Vancouver.

Mr. E. A. James went over to Vancouver last night on a short business trip.

Alderman Raymond left on Monday afternoon on a business trip to Vancouver. He will return today.

Mrs. Catterson, of Berkeley, California, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Welch, of Oak Bay.

Mrs. R. F. Green, of 502 Rupert street, will not receive on Friday or during the summer months.

Mr. R. Crump, from Richmond, Va., is a visitor in town, and is staying at the Empress.

Mr. George Doan and children are visitors in town from England, and are guests at the King Edward.

Mr. G. Feaker, from Saturna Island, is down in the Capital for a short visit.

Mr. H. Caveney, from Calgary, is among the many prairie visitors in town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gilmour, from Lacombe, Alberta, are enjoying a visit to town.

Mrs. Berkeley Good left yesterday to spend the summer at Salt Spring Island.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Crowe, from Los Angeles, are enjoying a visit to Victoria and are guests at the Empress.

Among the many American visitors in town is Mrs. S. C. Knapp, from New Rochelle.

Mr. B. Humble is over from Vancouver to spend a few days and is registered at the Empress.

Mr. and Mrs. Clive French, from St. James Island, are down in the Capital for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. McAllister, from Scotland, are recent arrivals in town from the Old Country.

Mr. H. Harding, from China, is a visitor in town, and is staying at the Driard Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Nurse leave today via the C. P. R. and the Allan liner Victorian on a trip to England.

Miss Freda Bloomingdale, of San Francisco, is visiting Mrs. C. F. Gardiner, 1013 Fairfield Road.

Dr. Paul Higgins has returned to Hosmer. Mrs. Higgins, with the children, will remain on the Coast during the summer months.

Mr. Kain, from San Francisco, who has been in Victoria on a week's business visit connected with real estate, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nisbet, from Minneapolis, are spending a few days with friends in Victoria. They will visit in Seattle before returning home.

Miss K. Gaudin, who has been spending the winter in California, returned on Tuesday to her home on Craigflower Road.

Capt. John Irving returned home yesterday as a passenger of the steamer Princess Victoria from Seattle.

Mrs. E. E. Welch, of "Cumberland," Oak Bay, will be "At Home" on Friday, June 17th, and not again until September.

Mr. D. W. Higgins has so far recovered as to be able to leave St. Joseph's Hospital, and is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. James Raymur, Stanley avenue.

Mr. Alexander Slater, sales manager of the Union Oil Company, of San Francisco, who has been in the city on a business trip, left last night via the C. P. R. for Winnipeg and thence to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Aubin, of Vancouver, announce the engagement of their daughter Mignonne Burnham Davis, to Mr. Harold H. Richardson. The wedding is to take place at the home of the bride's mother on July 7.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wishart, from Nottinghamshire, England, are touring Canada, and are at present enjoying a few days' visit to Victoria, with which they express themselves delighted.

Among the many country visitors to the Capital are Mr. Arthur Parry, from Cowichan Bay, Mr. E. H. Grant, from Cowichan Lake, and Mr. F. J. Bittancourt, from Salt Spring Island.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stewart have returned from their honeymoon which was spent in the South and have taken up their residence at 217 Johnson street.

Mrs. B. F. Armstrong came down from Vancouver yesterday by the Princess Charlotte and is staying as the guest of Mrs. Thos. R. Cusack, Kingston street, for the next few days.

Mr. Benjamin Allen, a very prominent Mason, and a past grand master of the Grand Lodge of Canada, is paying a visit to Victoria. Mr. Allen has hosts of friends from Halifax to the Pacific coast.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Matthews have left on an extended tour to the Old Country which they have not visited for 35 years. A considerable portion of the time will be spent in Cornwall.

Sir Henry Barclay, who was recently a passenger on the Blue Funnel liner Onia, and who has been spending a few days here, left yesterday afternoon via the C. P. R. and the White Star liner Megantic on his return to England.

A number of Seattle visitors are in town at present, amongst them being: Mrs. Olive Sander and the Misses Edith and Mabel Sander, and Mr. Sander, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. R. Thompson, Mrs. George Haskins, Mrs. J. C. Jackson, and Messrs. J. J. Marway, Dr. and Mrs. Scott and Mr. C. E. Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Matthew left last Wednesday to revisit their old home in Cornwall, England, after an absence of 35 years. They have booked their passage by the White Star liner Celtic, and will sail from New York on Monday. They will visit friends at Belleville and Toronto, Ont., en route to the eastern port.

A very pretty wedding took place on the 1st of June in St. John's church, Keremeos, B. C., when Mr. Max. Bethune-Ewart, of Sidmouth, South Devon, England, was united in holy matrimony to Margaret Emily, youngest daughter of the late William Hamilton Lowe and Mrs. Lowe, of Keremeos, B. C. The bride was attended by Miss Violet Kirby. Mr. Gordon R. Mason, of Bentinck, B. C., ably assisted the groom. After the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother.

A quiet wedding was solemnized yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. M. Cartier, 1131 Yates street, when Mr. W. H. Lawson was married to Miss M. J. Cartier. The groom, who is well known to many younger Victorians by the cognomen of "Toots," is a member of the office staff of the British American Paint Co. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. E. Holling, and was witnessed by only the immediate relatives and friends of the family. The happy couple left by the Princess Charlotte at 5 o.m. for the Sound, where they will spend their honeymoon.

Premier Sifton Opposed

EDMONTON, June 15.—Vermillion Conservatives have nominated John Clarke, a prosperous farmer of that district, to run against Premier Sifton in the bye-election on June 23rd. The convention was largely attended, and the campaign is being organized in the district with the assistance of Edmonton Conservatives, who were well represented at the convention last night. The Conservatives state they will put up a strong fight.

World's Missionary Conference

EDINBURGH, June 15.—The world's missionary conference, a representative gathering of churches, opened today under the presidency of Lord Balfour of Burleigh. There are 1,200 delegates and 2,000 other representatives of churches and missions present. All civilized races are represented. Today's session was held in the assembly hall of the United Free Church.

C. P. R. Vice-Presidents

MONTREAL, June 15.—It was announced at headquarters of the Canadian Pacific railway today that the system of numbering the vice-presidents of the road had been abandoned, and henceforth they would all rank as vice-presidents in charge of specified duties.

David McNeill is vice-president and director; Wm. Whyte, vice-president in charge of western lines; I. G. Ogden, vice-president in charge of finances and accounting; and G. H. Bosworth, vice-president in charge of traffic and all eastern steamship lines.

President Cabrera's Son

NEW YORK, June 15.—Estrada Cabrera, son of President Cabrera of Guatemala, arrived here today on the steamer Kron Princess Cecilia, accompanied by a nurse and two doctors and apparently little the worse for the wounds from which the Chetumal authorities found him to be suffering on his arrival there on the steamer from Paris, and which were said to have been self-inflicted. Young Cabrera's brow was slashed with a broken bottle, but the wounds were not serious. The young man has been in ill health and had constant medical attention while in Europe. He is on his way back to Guatemala.

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Edenbark Creamery, per lb.	40c
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Robertson's Marmalade, 7-lb. tins	75c
Robertson's Jams, 7-lb. tins	\$1.00
Robertson's Jams, 4-lb. tins	60c
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NEWS OF THE CITY

Bank Clearings

The bank clearings for the week ending June 14th, are reported by the Victoria clearing house at \$1,737,162.

Will Erect Dwellings

Building permits were issued yesterday by the building inspector to R. Seabrook, for a dwelling on St. John street, to cost \$2,400, and to R. E. Blakeway, for a dwelling on Graham street, to cost \$1,750.

Mr. Watters to Speak

At the Unitarian church service on Sunday evening next Mr. J. C. Watters, president of the Trades and Labor Council, will deliver a short address on "Common ground of Socialism and the Liberal Christian Church." This address will precede the regular sermon.

Candidates Initiated

At the regular meeting of "Lodge Pride of the Island," S. O. E. B. S., held on Tuesday evening, eight new candidates were initiated. At the next meeting there will be twenty candidates for degrees. A committee was appointed to conclude arrangements for a picnic on Labor Day.

Victoria Homes

In response to a request from the Hon. J. H. Turner, Agent-General for B.C. in London, a large consignment of literature published by the Vancouver Island Development League has been forwarded to the United Kingdom for distribution. Included in the shipment are a thousand copies of the article on Victoria Homes, published in the April number of Westward Ho.

Orphanage Pound Party

All interested in the welfare of the children of the B. C. Orphan's Home, Hillside avenue, are cordially invited to attend the pound party to be held at the home, Hillside avenue, on Thursday, June 23rd, from 3 to 6 p.m., visitors being welcomed as guests of the committee to afternoon tea. Miss Thain having kindly offered to give piano selections, and Miss W. Seawcroft violin solos, a very enjoyable time is promised.

Injured Man Goes Home

W. J. Trevhella, one of the three workmen who were seriously injured about three months ago by the premature blast of a charge of blasting powder at the Seventeen Mile Post, on the construction work on the Mill Bay road and who, as a consequence of his mishap lost both eyes, left yesterday, via the Northern Pacific, for his home at Omaha, in company with W. R. Freethy. Mr. Trevhella was the most seriously injured of the three, the other two suffering the loss of fingers. The charge exploded while a steam drill was in operation removing the filling which had been inserted in order to permit the workmen to relay the charge.

Ex-Alderman Fined

Ex-Ald. J. A. Turner was fined \$20 in the police court yesterday morning by Magistrate Jay on the charge brought by Mounted Constable Wright of having driven his automobile to the corner of Beacon and Hill in Park on June 7th. Mr. Turner, and two witnesses, who were with him in the machine, gave evidence stating the speed at which the car was driven was not excessive, and that there was no one on the roadway. Mr. Turner acted as his own counsel. A Chinese boy, a servant at Mr. Frank Higgins' residence, was charged with stealing a bicycle. It is stated that he lost his own wheel, and appropriated another. He was released on \$100 bail deposited by his uncle.

Trade With Royal City

As an outcome of the work of the board of trade for the improvement of the steamer connection between this city and New Westminster a letter has been received from Mr. C. D. Vincent, agent of the Gulf Steamship and Trading Company, offering to place a vessel on the route giving a double weekly service. The suggestion made is that the steamer in question should leave Victoria on Tuesday and Friday mornings. Mr. Simon Leiser, president of the board, is at present out of town, but on his return a meeting of the committee which has the matter in hand will be called to discuss the latest proposal for an improved service. If the offer of the company in question is considered satisfactory arrangements will be made to insure it proper support.

OBITUARY NOTICES

Brooks

The funeral of the late Mrs. Frederick Brooks took place yesterday morning from her late residence, 555 Hillside avenue, from where the cortege proceeded to St. Andrew's Roman Catholic Cathedral, where Mass was said by Rev. Father Gillis. There was a large attendance as the late Mrs. Brooks was widely and favorably known. There were numerous and beautiful floral tributes. The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: W. Mable, Albert Anderson, G. R. Macdonald, R. S. Fitzpatrick, John P. Sweeney and Michael Steele.

Campbell

The remains of Edna Lyle, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Campbell, were laid at rest yesterday afternoon in Ross Bay cemetery. The funeral took place from the family residence, 711 Wilson street, Victoria West, at 2.30, where an appropriate child's service was conducted by Rev. H. A. Carson, who also officiated at the grave. There was a large attendance of sympathetic friends and the little casket was covered with numerous and beautiful flowers.

McGuire

The funeral of the late Frederick Herbert McGuire, who met with an accidental death on Tuesday morning last, will take place from the Eagles' Hall, on Government street, on Sunday afternoon. As there are no relatives of the deceased in the city, the funeral arrangements are being taken in charge by the Eagles.

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THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p.m., June 15, 1910:

SYNOPSIS.

Barometric pressure conditions remain nearly stationary; low pressure areas cover nearly the whole of this western portion of the continent; showers have fallen on the British Columbia coast, but fair weather has been general from the Pacific to the great lakes. It has been cool on the immediate coast, warmer inland between the ranges and very warm in the Prairie provinces where maximum temperatures ranged from 76 to 88.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	52	64
Vancouver	53	65
New Westminster	52	66
Kamloops	52	78
Barkerville	40	58
Port Simpson	44	52
Atlin	40	54
Dawson	46	72
Calgary, Alta.	44	82
Winnipeg, Man.	62	88
Portland, Ore.	54	68
San Francisco, Cal.	48	58

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a.m. (Pacific Time) Thursday:
Victoria and Vicinity: Moderate to fresh southerly winds, generally fair with not much change in temperature.
Lower Mainland: Light to moderate winds, generally fair with stationary or higher temperature.

WEDNESDAY.

Highest	64
Lowest	52
Mean	58
Sunshine, 5 hours	42 minutes.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria, meteorological office, June 8th to 14th, 1910:

Victoria—Bright sunshine 44 hours 54 minutes; highest temperature 76 on 10th; lowest 47 on 13th; rain .33 inch.

Vancouver—Bright sunshine 35 hours 12 minutes; highest temperature 74 on 9th, 10th; lowest 41 on 12th; rain .17 inch.

New Westminster—Highest temperature 78 on 10th; lowest 48 on 12th; rain .72 inch.

Kamloops—Highest temperature 96 on 10th; lowest 44 on 12th; rain .14 inch.

Barkerville—Highest temperature 74 on 10th; lowest 26 on 12th; rain .78 inch.

Port Simpson—Highest temperature 52 on 11th, 13th; lowest 38 on 12th; rain 3.10 inches.

Atlin—Highest temperature 58 on 13th; lowest 30 on 13th; rain .24 inch.

Dawson—Highest temperature 72 on 14th; lowest 30 on 12th; rain .08 inch.



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NEWS OF THE CITY

The University Commission
The University Commission will not return to Victoria much before June 25th. It was at Vernon on Saturday last, and has yet to proceed to Kamloops, Revelstoke, Nelson and other points in the Interior.

Water Board Sitting
The new water board is holding sittings in this city and is getting down to business rapidly. It consists of W. S. Drewry, water commissioner; J. M. Robinson, of Summerland; and J. T. Robinson, of Kamloops.

For Benefit of Equines
The secretary of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has written the city council suggesting that more horse troughs be placed in convenient places in order that during the hot weather there may be abundant water for the thirsty animals.

Poor Drainage Facilities
Property owners adjacent to the Protestant Orphans' Home are complaining of the lack of drainage facilities, in consequence of which sewage from that institution is overflowing onto nearby property. The city engineer will report to the council on the matter.

Wants to See Plans
Owing to an objection made by Ald. Fullerton, who declared he had never seen the plans of the proposed new residence to be erected for the caretaker at Smith's Hill reservoir, and also that the building is altogether too pretentious, the city council last night did not adopt the recommendation of the water commissioner that the tender of Mr. F. J. Holland for the sum of \$2,373 be accepted. The matter will be further considered before an award is made.

Wants Damages From City
On behalf of their client Mr. Charles Wright, proprietor of the Strand hotel, Messrs. Moresby & O'Reilly, solicitors, are asking for \$200 damages from the city for injuries sustained by Mr. Wright through the alleged negligence of the city's employees in leaving the covering off a water tap in the sidewalk on Store street opposite the store of Messrs. Scott & Peden. Mr. Wright was walking along the sidewalk at night on February 28, when he tripped, was thrown violently to the ground, and suffered injuries which necessitated medical attendance. The city engineer will make a report to the council on the matter.

Presentation to Member
An interesting feature of the quarterly meeting of the Alexandra Lodge Sons of England, held last evening in the Knights of Pythias Hall, was the presentation to Mr. T. Drysdale Velch, manager of the Royal Bank, who has been transferred to Halifax, of a handsomely illuminated certificate of membership. The presentation was made by Past-President George Jay, who expressed the regret of himself and fellow members at the departure of Mr. Velch and best wishes for Mr. Velch in his new home. Mr. Velch replied suitably. Twelve applications for membership were received and four initiations took place. The sum of \$350 in dues was collected at the meeting.

Bathing at the Gorge
The discontinuance of the use of the structure and float on the city side of the Gorge bridge as a bathing pavilion has given rise to considerable dissatisfaction among a number of devotees of the naturalist in the city. It is pointed out that there is now only the one public bathing place on the Gorge, that in conjunction with the park belonging to the B. C. Electric Railway Company, which is almost exclusively for children and beginners in swimming. For some years past city bathers have been accustomed to using the pavilion on the city side of the Gorge bridge, where a spring-board and diving apparatus had been erected for their use. Now this property has ceased to be utilized for its former purpose, and as a result swimmers who were wont to patronize the Gorge are at a loss to find a desirable spot there for bathing purposes.

Will Submit Bylaw
The city council last night adopted a report of the city engineer showing the amount of material which will have to be removed from the proposed site of the new high school in Spring Ridge. About 60,000 cubic yards will have to be moved, of which about 20,000 yards can be used as filling to bring the grounds up to the required grade, leaving about 40,000 yards to move away. This amount includes that required to bring the adjacent streets to the proper grade. There are about 37,000 yards of sand and filling available on the site, and the city has an offer from Mr. John Haggerty that for the surplus material, on condition that the city buys 7,500 yards of sand and 7,500 yards of gravel in 1911, and the same amount in 1912, at prices which the city pays for this material this year, he will grade the site and pay the city \$1,000. The buildings now on the site will probably net the city about \$1,500. It will

Accountant and Auditor Opens New Offices

Mr. W. G. Barlow, who has for some time past been permanent auditor and responsible for the books and accounts at the Dominion Hotel, is about to start practicing in this city as a public accountant and auditor. Prior to his coming to British Columbia Mr. Barlow carried on his professional public accountant and auditor in London, and in addition was secretary to several mining and industrial companies, and is a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Secretaries in England. He has had an experience extending over 25 years in accountancy practice, and as trustee, liquidator, etc., and brought with him excellent credentials from Chartered Accountants, lawyers and business men with whom his business brought him in almost daily contact. No business is too large for him to systematize, or neglected books too complicated for him to straighten out. Steve Jones has only words of the highest praise for Mr. Barlow and is retaining his services in connection with his private accounts and as general auditor of the Dominion Hotel. Mr. Barlow's office is located at 1212 Broad street, opposite the Colonist, and his wide business experience will unquestionably be found of great value to those who avail themselves of his services.

cost the city approximately \$7,000 to cover the site with clay and loam as requested by the school board. The engineer's report has been adopted, and the necessary bylaw to authorize the transfer of the city's property to the school board will be prepared at once for submission to the people.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH

Coroner's Jury Investigates Circumstances Surrounding George McGuire's Death.

That the death of George McGuire, who was almost instantly killed Monday morning about 11 o'clock by being struck by a piece of flying beam, which supported the slings by which a heavy boiler was being lowered into place at the new Robertson power came to his death by accident, was the verdict of the coroner's jury which met yesterday afternoon at the city hall to investigate the circumstances surrounding the man's death. The evidence adduced added few, if any, new features to those already published. The boiler, weighing 3,100 pounds, had been lowered from the ground floor to the basement floor, and immediately the weight was taken off the sling the beam supporting the latter above, slid out of place and falling struck McGuire on the side and head, fracturing a rib, which penetrated his right lung, causing death.

The jury found that no blame attached to any of the other workmen or to the deceased himself, but made the suggestion that in cases where similar work is being done care should be taken to see that the means taken to perform the work are adequately secured and strong enough.

MR. RITHEH INJURED

Motor Car Overturned at Foot of Four Mile Hill When Brakes Refused to Work.

Mr. R. P. Ritheh was slightly injured yesterday evening at 5.30, when the automobile which he was driving got beyond his control, and dashing down the Four-Mile hill, turned over near the bottom, throwing him out and inflicting a few bruises.

Mr. Ritheh was returning from Goldstream alone in his small electric car, and was travelling along slowly until he reached the top of the Four-Mile hill. As he descended the hill he applied the brakes so as to check the speed of the car, but the brakes refused to respond. The car dashed down the hill, gaining great speed in its descent, until it reached nearly the bottom, when Mr. Ritheh tried to take the curve. But the momentum of the car was too great, and it swung to the side of the road, running into one of the large pipes of the Esquimalt Water Works Company and turning over. Mr. Ritheh was thrown out of the car, and tumbled over a pipe, but was able to pick himself up again. Just then a young man came along on a bicycle and telephoned the news of the accident to the city.

An automobile was despatched to the scene of the accident, and took Mr. Ritheh to his home on Humboldt street, where for the exception of a few slight bruises, he appears none the worse for his thrilling experience. He will be around again in a few days. The automobile, which is an extremely light car, is of the electric type. It was hauled back to the city last evening. The front mud guards of the car are completely broken, and the dashboard is wholly demolished.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. F. H. Swayne, of the firm of Messrs. Carmichael & Moorhead, left for Alberni on the steamer Tees last night.

Mrs. E. J. Martin, of 2411 Third street, will not receive Friday, nor again until autumn.

Mr. George E. Pauling, of the Empress Hotel, will leave today for Field where he will act as agent for Brewster Bros. Mr. Pauling has been an active member of the Empress Athletic Club, and will be missed by a host of friends.

At the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Bralk, Alfred street, last evening Mr. Herbert James McCain and Miss Margaret Jane Bralk were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Hermon Carson, pastor of the First Congregational Church. There was a large gathering of friends, the presents were many, and the happy couple were the recipients of much congratulation. Miss Bralk played the wedding march and Miss Nellie Snowcroft sang several selections. Mr. and Mrs. McCain will make a tour of the mountain section, visiting Calgary, Edmonton and other prairie centres before returning to take up their residence here.

The marriage of Miss Jennie E. Smith, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, 1809 Cook street, and Mr. Thomas William Smith, Blanchard street, took place yesterday afternoon at the residence of Rev. W. Stevenson, pastor of Emmanuel Baptist church, Spring Ridge. Mr. Stevenson officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Georgina Smith, her cousin, while Mr. Alex. Ross acted as best man. After the ceremony the wedding guests were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith, Elk Lake, where the wedding reception and a dance were held. The room had been handsomely decorated with evergreens, roses, carnations and sweet peas. The wedding presents were numerous and costly.

AMUSEMENTS

Maude Adams
Much more than the customary interest is being taken in Maude Adams' engagement at the Victoria Theatre, Friday, June 17, when the actress is to be seen in the Barrie comedy of "What Every Woman Knows." The applications for seats which have been pouring into the theatre have been so numerous that a house crowded in every part is sure to greet the actress. For two years "Peter Pan" in Miss Adams' hands was the dominating stage success. It established records for attendance and big business in every city in which it was played, and the records it has set would always last, but such is not the case. They are being shattered right along by the little actress in the new play. "What Every Woman Knows" brings Miss Adams back to the footlights in skirts, and she is more charming than ever in them. The role she has chosen is that of a little Scottish woman who would have

her husband become a big figure in the world of politics. This husband is a stubborn fellow with a will of his own. He is Scottish in every fibre of his body. When he comes across another woman as his "affinity" one would like to kick him, but would hesitate on account of the love the little woman bears him. Of course, in the end his eyes are opened to the good that his wife has in her unobtrusive way done for him and all ends happily. It is to be seen from this bare outline that the character of the wife is a sympathetic one, and it is to be imagined that Miss Adams gives it many exquisite touches. The comedy is Scottish in its scenes and characters, and in its unfolding Barrie takes many a sly dig at the peculiarities of his people. The humor is described as delightful, and the dialogue exceedingly bright. The comedy had one run of over five months in New York last season, and was seen there again this season. It has had two engagements in Chicago, the second one having been bigger than the first. As the sale of seats is sure to be heavy preparations have been made to handle a long line of people at its opening.

Victoria Theatre

There will be no amateurs or moving pictures at the Victoria Theatre on Friday evening, as the theatre will be occupied by Maude Adams' company on that date.

The funeral pictures of the late king will be shown at a juncture with the amateurs and other pictures tonight and Saturday, matinee and night, for the last time.

The pictures next week will be of a special character, several feature films having been procured. Roosevelt in Africa is a two thousand foot film which was procured at enormous cost and trouble, the photographers following Mr. Roosevelt all through his exciting experiences. It also portrays native and animal life and habits. It is altogether a most fascinating and instructive subject. There will also be a picture of the Vancouver and New Westminster lacrosse match, played on June 4th.

Pantages Theatre

Every act on the bill at Pantages this week is of a quality that will please the most exacting. The programme contains novelty, excellent singing and dancing, is bubbling over with clean, enjoyable comedy and from the rise of the first curtain until the finish of the show, there is not one dull moment.

The Hatmans, in their classic exhibition of Hungarian dancing, are presenting a very novel and highly artistic demonstration of the most graceful of all national dances. The Anderson Four are attracting many children to the Johnson street theatre on account of the clever work of Master Bab and Baby Anderson. Mary Gray, comedienne, Bob Hendricks, the minstrel man, and funny moving pictures all combine to pleasing entertainment.

New Grand Theatre

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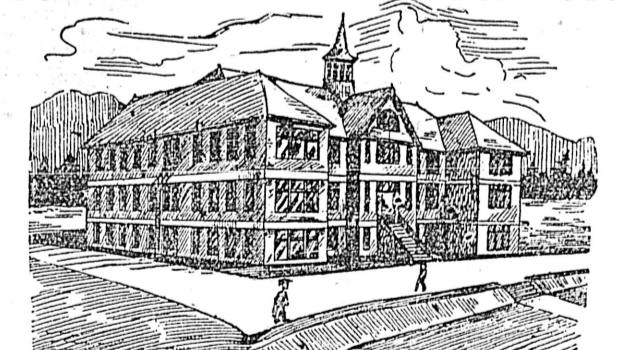
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In Woman's Realm

Here and There

It is to be hoped that all parents in Victoria will carefully read the report of the secretary of the Children's Aid Society. It shows very plainly that there is a great deal of work to be done in this city among the children who belong to negligent parents. The public owes a debt of gratitude to the few ladies and gentlemen who have attended to their needs, and especially to the secretary who has freely given a great deal of time, energy and attention to work which in other cities is well paid for.

In some respects the report is painful reading for a woman. It shows that there are mothers who are but too willing to free themselves from the responsibilities and obligations of motherhood. The woman who is ready to part with her baby to strangers, or who is too idle and too careless to control her little boys does not deserve the sacred name of "mother." That woman is to be greatly pitied who, on account of the death or desertion of her husband, is left with a babe in her arms and little children to care for. There have been many such mothers who in such circumstances have contrived to make a living for themselves and their children. Friends or relatives may have helped at the beginning and, as a result, their children have grown up to be a comfort to the mother who has devoted her life to them. But all those women who find themselves in such straits have not the resources that make it possible to provide for their families and attend to their wants. Then the hardest trial of a woman's life comes when her baby is taken from her, perhaps forever, to be cared for by strangers. In England it is being proved that to break up a family in this way is the most extravagant way, even from a money point of view, of treating this problem. The mother can keep her children more cheaply than any other way, and mother love can be found nowhere else but in the home. But as the people of Victoria have not learned this lesson, we may be thankful to the Children's Aid Society for placing in good homes the children of too young mothers who were obliged to earn their living.

Is it possible that the unfortunate woman whose seven children were taken from her might have been saved if help and advice had been given her before her case had grown hopeless? Then there are the children who were given into the Society's charge rather than committed to jail or sent to the industrial school. Do careful mothers and fathers realize how important it is that these should be kept at once from doing harm to others and growing worse themselves? This is the purpose of the Detention Home, and it is doing work that should be paid for by the city or by the province.

The most hopeful part of the report was that which told of a reunited family. To restore children to their parents and to bring fathers and mothers to a sense of their duty, is work well worth doing.

There is abundant evidence in the report that though the Society is relieved, as it should be, in the future, of the care of bad children, there is a great and increasing field for its work among parents and children. It is the unfortunate children of erring parents or of those, who through no fault of their own, are unable to provide for them, that claim the efforts of the Society. To provide these with good homes or to still to reform their own homes and to guard those who are beginning to fall into evil ways will tax the efforts of the officers of the Children's Aid Society. To do this work well requires a constant, if not a large, revenue, and to provide this should be the aim of happy mothers who are anxious that their own little flocks should be preserved from evil.

Until steps are taken to establish a Juvenile Court the Detention Home must be supported by private charity, but there is no reason why Victoria should wait for a large population before it makes proper provision for the care of the children who commit offences against the society. The contrary is the case. It is much easier to stop the growth of an evil than to cure it when it has got beyond control. In recognizing this the Children's Aid Society has conferred a great favor on the city.

A very important experiment is now being tried in the North Ward Park. It has been stated many times that Victoria children cannot be trusted to leave alone flowers and shrubs planted in public places unless they were watched night and day. At this park the flowers are quite open to the street. The gardener is not always present, and the Chief of Police does not seem to have detailed any of his men to keep away would-be thieves. If the children of the north end of the city have public spirit and self-control enough to keep the park property safe, it is to be hoped there will soon be other beauty spots in public parts of Victoria. Children love flowers, and they can be taught to leave them alone and to guard them from injury. What children will do to beautify a city under the most discouraging circumstances is shown by the following extract from the Chicago Record Herald:

The neighborhood of the Marquette school, Wood and Harrison streets, is being transformed into one great flower garden through the efforts of the pupils of the school. A garden competition has been started by Principal Charles W. Minard, and the contestants have planted flowers in every available piece of unoccupied land, vacant lots, lawns and alleys being used.

Reports on other schools are in order, and not one of them in the city should fail to enter vigorously into a flower growing competition. There might be a very decided improvement in school yards that are given over to bricks and cinders, and if the children are only interested we may hope for

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a change that will affect whole districts. In many neighborhoods almost no attention is paid to the beautification of house lots. The exceptional person who tries to keep his grounds in order finds that his front lawn is over run and that the bark is torn from his trees. When he looks from the back windows of his home he sees yards without a flower or blade of grass, yards defaced with heaps of ashes, battered cans and refuse of every sort.

Evidently there is little hope for in the family influences where such conditions prevail, but the child may become a practical reformer under the school influence. He can help very appreciably toward converting a hideous waste into a garden, and his interest once aroused is likely to continue far into the future. It will manifest itself in the home of his own some time, and must count now and then as an effective contribution to the city beautiful.

The pupils of the North Ward school are to be congratulated on winning the shield in the musical competition a few days ago. The senior classes only entered into this competition, and it is rather a surprise to think the trophy was not carried off by the boys whose voices are usually considered the sweetest. It is to be hoped that someone will offer a prize to be competed for by the primary classes. Many of these sing very well indeed. The introduction of music into the public schools has done much good in many ways. It is always a source of pleasure and it relieves the tedium of the routine. The musical instructor takes great pains to keep the boys and girls from straining their voices by singing too loud. This cannot fail to have a good effect on the tone of voice used in speaking.

Seattle people are determined that their children shall have space and opportunity for play during the holidays. There will be eight playgrounds open this season, and all supervised. It is stated that even these will not supply the need of all the children. The Post-Intelligencer says:

"The season's results in the playgrounds of the city ought to be such as to emphasize the value of these recreation places. They will be popular. Children will flock to them, and there isn't the slightest reason to believe that the benefits to be derived by the children will not increase the popularity of these places. The playground is a bright spot in the life of the city. Seattle must have more of them for they make for health and vigor of mind and body."

It seems a pity that in our own city the beautifully situated spot at the head of Pandora street had been put to sleep this summer. The city could have found another place to store the water pipes, and visitors would have a better impression of what ought to be one of our finest streets. The Spring Ridge car line is unfortunate in having the same pits at the end of this neglected playground at one of its principal stopping places. It is too late this season to do anything to improve the little square.

The improvements in the Carnegie Library will be of a great deal of importance to the women of Victoria who use it. Not only are many new magazines and papers to be supplied to the woman's reading room, but the large room used formerly by the men as a reading room will be a reference room open to all who desire to consult any book which cannot be taken away. This should prove a great boon to college students many of whom have not a quiet room where works of reference are available. It is to be hoped that the commissioners will be able before long to add to the number of books specially selected for the women in the High School and University. The habit of attending the library is growing among women and it is a good one. Many a woman can enjoy an article or a chapter of a story much better in the quiet of the library than in the quiet of her own home. The many duties that are awaiting the busy hands. The work will be all the better done for the interval of quiet rest. There are some women who would like to hint to the commissioners that women's magazines do not contain all the current literature that Victoria women like to read.

WOMAN'S WORK.

At an impressive and beautiful little ceremony Mrs. G. Shaw, of Golden, yesterday afternoon received into the order of the King's Daughters about thirty members forming two new circles, the "Dayspring" and the "Golden Rule." Most of those who will henceforth wear the tiny silver cross which is the badge of the order were very young girls. The leaders of the new circles are Mrs. Lort and Mrs. Dickinson. After the consecration service was over the girls were addressed by Mrs. A. T. Watt, who expressed her delight at seeing so many young women joining an order whose influence would grow stronger as the years went on. They did not pledge themselves to do any great work, but to remember the little kindly acts which meant so much in a woman's life and proved them to be true followers of the King. The order was a large one numbering many thousands and the girls should be careful not to do anything by word or deed that would show them unworthy of their royal lineage.

After the ceremony those present went to take tea with Miss Leitch at her home with the Rev. W. L. Clay, Linden avenue.

Although the King's Daughters have no rules, and no special propaganda they find plenty of opportunity of fulfilling their pledge to "Lend a hand." At present all the circles throughout the province are preparing to build a convalescent home in a beautiful spot near Soan's lake. As soon as a new road renders access easy the building will be erected. The hospitals here are often indebted to the circles for aid and many kindly and loving deeds are done by the member "In His Home."

Next week the tenth annual convention of the order will be held in Vancouver. At a public meeting the mayor will preside, and addresses will be given by Mrs. J. E. Austin, of Toronto, and Mrs. Hasell, of this city. The sessions will continue from Thursday evening to Saturday afternoon. On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. E. B.

Marvin gave a delightful launch party in honor of Mrs. Shaw, of Golden, the provincial secretary, who is head of the order in British Columbia. There were present, besides Mrs. Shaw and the hostess the provincial officers, the leaders of the local circles, the members of the executive in Victoria and a number of their friends.

The ladies of St. James' Guild hope to see all their friends at the fête to be given this afternoon at the home of Mrs. McE. Smith on Government street. If the day should prove inclement visitors will be entertained in the house where every pains will be taken to make the hours pass pleasantly. The proceeds of the entertainment will go towards the painting and cleaning of the inside of the church.

The officers of the Woman's Club of Vancouver recently elected are: President, Mrs. Coulthard; first vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Leckie; second vice-president, Mrs. Dallas; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. C. G. Henshaw. A committee to draft the programmes for the sessions next season was appointed with C. J. Peter as convenor, the remaining members being Mrs. Rosina Burke, Mrs. W. E. Green, Mrs. Alkhurst, Mrs. H. Walsh Windle, Mrs. E. R. Gordon, Mrs. R. W. Hannington, Mrs. W. A. James, Mrs. E. Bred, Mrs. William Murray, Mrs. E. B. Ross and Miss Alice Kilby.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE

Court of Appeal

Beattie v. Montreal, Canada, Fire Insurance Company. This was an appeal from Martin, J., who at the trial gave judgment in favor of the plaintiff.

Plaintiff, an auctioneer, insured certain goods, in the course of his business, with the defendant company, a fire occurred, and the adjuster, after examination, decided on a basis of settlement. He subsequently ascertained that certain of the goods had been immersed in salt water for some days owing to the derailment of a railway car. Plaintiff purchased these goods at a valuation far below their invoice price, had certain work of restoration done, and placed them in his stock. In his proof of loss, he set them at the invoice price, plus the freight from the east. He did not disclose to the insurance company the circumstances under which he obtained the goods, or their condition, either at the time he effected the insurance or at the time of loss by fire, and the company set up the contention that this was a material concealment or misrepresentation sufficient to void the policy. A further contention was that as the policy had been deposited with a furniture manufacturing firm as collateral for a general or floating indebtedness, plaintiff had no status to bring the action.

Held that there was material misrepresentation or concealment sufficient to void the policy, that the plaintiff could not recover, and that the appeal should be allowed.

J. A. Russell, for appellant company; A. H. Macneil, K. Q., for respondent.

Before Gregory J.
Corporation of the City of Victoria v. Victoria Country Club.—In this matter, in which special leave had been given to that end, Peters, K.C., applied for an injunction to restrain the defendants from remaining in possession of the plaintiff's lands.

H. W. R. Moore (Barnard & Robertson) raised the preliminary objection that the institution of this action had not been authorized by the Corporation, but by the Mayor, and that the solicitor on the record had not been properly retained to entitle him to bring an action in the name of the Corporation; but that in point of fact (Continued on Page 11.)

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FORBIDS FIGHT IN CALIFORNIA

Governor Gillett Comes Out Strong Against Jeffries-Johnson Battle—Supreme Court Must Interpret Law

SAN FRANCISCO, June 15.—Stirred to action by protests from all parts of the State and country, Governor Gillett today took steps to prevent the championship fight between James J. Jeffries and Jack Johnson, scheduled to be held in San Francisco on July 4.

In a letter to Attorney-General U. S. Webb, the Governor today expressed his disapproval of prize fighting, and directed that the courts be invoked to prevent the fight. He concluded with a positive order that, in case the plea for a restraining order be not granted and the fight be held, the Attorney-General prosecute those interested in the fight for violating the penal code of the State. The latter declares that the Supreme Court of California has never defined a prize fight, and suggests that an opportunity be given it to do so.

This is taken to indicate the Governor's intention to press his opposition to the end, while the status of the fight is unsettled tonight, the sporting fraternity is much cast down and it is generally believed that the death knell of prize fighting in California has been sounded.

The belief is borne out by the fact that the Governor telegraphed to Attorney-General Webb later in the day to take similar action as to the fight scheduled for June 18 in San Francisco between Sam Langford and Al Kaufman. Promoters Tex Rickard and John Leason had heard no whisper of the Governor's intention. When the news reached him Rickard rushed to the office of Attorney-General Webb and asked what that officer proposed to do.

After a conference with Mr. Webb, Rickard said he believed that the fight will be held in San Francisco on the advertised date despite the Governor's orders.

Rickards Undecided

Rickards would not say what his course would be until Mr. Webb handed down an opinion, but he had no intention of abandoning the effort to hold the fight here. Both he and Gleason devoted much time today to conference with their attorneys.

The course of legal defense decided on was probably not given out until Mr. Webb has made a statement. Rickard said Mr. Webb had promised him, because of the great expense of erecting the arena and other matters connected with the fight, that his opinion would be forthcoming without delay. Rickard expects it within two days. In the meantime Rickard says he will prepare to take the fight to Nevada or Utah if compelled to leave California.

Just what will be the nature of the legal proceedings to be instituted by the attorney-general is not known. The governor's letter is positive in directing that the courts be asked to intervene and give a definition to prize fighting from the Supreme court.

For this reason it is believed that Mr. Webb will apply for a writ bringing all parties before that court for a hearing and procuring a temporary injunction pending a decision. By this step he would avoid delay, since the promoters would have to appeal if judgment were entered against them.

Jeffries Seapical

When word of the governor's orders reached Jeffries he refused to believe it. The camp was thrown into a uproar by the message, but Jeffries after declaring his disbelief, retired to his cottage, and was found there later sound asleep.

Lose \$30,000.

Rickards estimates that he will lose \$30,000 if he is forced to take the fight to Nevada. He said he would consider Nevada and Salt Lake City. He is said to favor the Utah capital. Work on the arena which has progressed rapidly since it was started about two weeks ago was ordered suspended temporarily when the action of the governor became known. Legal proceedings, it is believed, will make no difference at the fighters' camps. It is probable they will go on with their training as though nothing had happened.

District Attorney Fickert, mention of whom is made by the Governor in his letter to the Attorney General displayed some bitterness when asked for a statement. He said that the

Governor had "headed the mob" and made satirical remarks about political capital. "However," he concluded, "I still believe that the fight will be held here and the courts are more powerful than the Governor."

Seeking a reason for the action of Governor Gillett, following his repeated declarations that he did not believe the fight could be prevented and that he did not propose to begin useless opposition, many think that the pressure was brought to bear on him from Washington, that the state's representatives at the national capital have informed him that the holding of the fight was standing in the way of San Francisco's effort to procure the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Governor's Letter

Following is a part of the text of Governor Gillette's letter to the Attorney-General ordering the Johnson-Jeffries fight stopped:

"Many complaints are made at this office by prominent citizens of the State protesting against this so-called fight, and requesting that some action be taken by the proper authorities to stop the fight."

"The District-Attorney of San Francisco has informed me that he does not propose to interfere in the matter."

"The first session of legislature held in this State in the year 1850 enacted a law making it a felony for two persons to fight each other upon a previous agreement upon a wager for money or any other reward. This law has been amended from time to time but never so as to make prize fighting unlawful."

"In 1903 the legislature again amended the law relating to prize fighting. The law, as amended, did not remove the ban which the laws of the State have always placed upon prize fights, and while a sparring exhibition, under certain conditions and restrictions, is permissible under this act, a prize fight still remains a felony."

Fight a Crime

"It is claimed by many that the contest soon to take place between Jeffries and Johnson is a prize fight, as the term is understood in the law, and therefore a crime under our statutes."

"If this is true, it should be prevented, but if carried out the interested parties should be punished as provided by law."

"I believe that you should investigate the matter and take such legal steps as may be proposed in your judgment, if warranted by the facts, in presenting the case to the court for its decision, and ask to have all interested parties enjoined pending the hearing."

"Our Supreme Court has never defined a prize fight, and I believe that an opportunity should be given it to do so."

"Since the amendment of the law, in 1899, permitting sparring, prize fighting under the guise of this amendment has greatly increased, and has been tolerated in California until today our state is a Mecca for prize fighters, much to our discredit."

"Our people have the right to demand that prize fighting shall cease in this state, and it will if our courts follow the Supreme Courts of our sister states in defining a prize fight."

"In my opinion a prize fight exists where there is an expectation of reward to be gained by the contest or competition, either to be won from the contestants or to be otherwise rewarded, coupled with an intent to inflict upon such contestant some degree of bodily harm."

"In Kansas the Supreme Court held that the contest must be a fight and that there must be an intent on the part of the contestants to do violence and inflict some degree of bodily harm on each other and the fight must be for some prize or reward."

McCarthy's Death

"Other states have made similar rulings. To show that the so-called 'sparring exhibitions' held in this state under the auspices of an incorporated athletic club, have not been sparring exhibitions, but prize fights, I need but refer to the files of the daily newspapers. I will call your attention to two or three of the recent ones. First, the Moran-McCarthy fight. The Oakland Tribune, in its issue of April 30, in discussing this language: 'After the sixteenth round had gone some fifty seconds, Moran landed a blow on McCarthy's jaw. It did not look like a heavy punch, but the young fighter went over backwards, his head seemingly dropping below as though his neck had been injured, and as he struck the floor the sound of the impact could be heard throughout the pavilion.'

"McCarthy died."

"Next, the Wolgast-Nelson fight took place on Washington's birthday (it seems that prize fighters always have their fights on Washington's birthday, Decoration Day and Independence Day). It was reported in all the daily papers of the state by rounds. I quote from the San Francisco Chronicle of February 23rd:

"Round 13—Nelson's lips were puffed and his eyes and cheeks were swollen. They mixed it like tigers. Wolgast having all the better of it, landing repeatedly on the body and jaw, with Nelson fighting wildly and spitting blood. Wolgast literally cut the Battler's face to ribbons, but still the Dane came in for more."

"Round 30—Wolgast appeared to put in the finishing punch. He jabbed incessantly at the Battler's anatomy and again the blood flowed in a stream. Wolgast almost sent Nelson to the floor, landing blow after blow on the defenceless champion's face."

Mexico Suggested

EL PASO, Tex., June 15.—A telegram was sent tonight to Tex Rickard and Jack Gleason by prominent business men proposing that big fight be held in the bull ring at Juarez, Mexico. The arena will seat 30,000.

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Boston	8	13	4
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Chicago	4	6	2
Philadelphia	3	8	2

EMPRESS LAID LOW KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

In a one-sided match between the Knights of Columbus and Empress league baseball teams last night, the latter took the measure of their opponents. The score was 18-3. Menard did the pitching for the Empress, while Baker, the lad who was laid flat the other day with one of Steele's benders, was on deck once again. He received in inimitable fashion. Keppock and Silver were pitcher and backstop respectively, for the Knights. Walter Lorrimer refereed satisfactorily.

EASTERN STARS FOR VANCOUVER

Con Jones' Lacrosse Team Will Be Strengthened by Jimmy Hogan and Shaun O'Reilly Both of Montreal

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home of the Montreal Shamrocks, and Shaun O'Reilly, a well-built home fielder from the same club. Neither Hogan nor O'Reilly are playing there this year, having refused to get into uniform for the present management of the Shamrocks, and they are eager to come here. Both will play for the Vancouver Lacrosse club. They will not be eligible for the game on July 1, but will be able to play in the following game. That will make seven league games they can take part in, enough to settle beyond any question the ownership of the Minto cup.

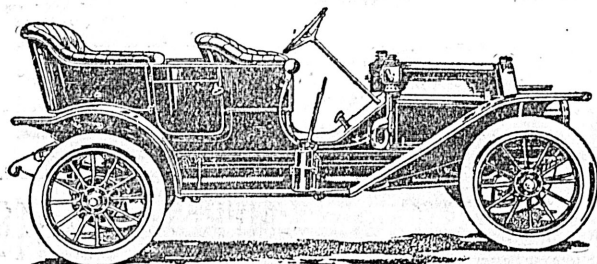
In an account of a game which was played on Tuesday, the principals being the Maple Leafs and the Capitals. It was stated that the Capitals had won. This was a mistake, one that has sorely wounded the natural pride of the Leafs, who have well-nigh a spotless record. They were victorious by a score of 18-5.

The J. B. A. A. crews for the N. P. Y. A. A. O. are training persistently. Dan O'Sullivan is in charge. He goes out every day, and laboriously rows a dinghy, while giving his proteges pointers. It has been suggested that Dan should be provided with a launch. If there is any generously disposed sportsman who has a gas boat that isn't working during the week, and who would like to assist in putting the boys in shape to carry off several championships, let him speak now or forever after hold his peace.

ANOTHER TRIUMPH FOR MAPLE LEAFS

The beach diamond, Dallas road, was the scene last evening of a match between the Maple Leaf and Outlaw baseball teams. It resulted in victory for the Leafs by a score of 11-4. The battery work on both sides was excellent. Thomas pitched and Jones caught for the winners. Mortimer and Ward did the twirling and the receiving, respectively, for the Outlaws.

That proposition of bringing the Alexandra and Spirit together in connection with the international yacht regatta is popular here. The club is working hard to obtain the funds necessary to finance such an attraction.



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OVERTIME MATCH RESULTS IN DRAW

Cloverdale-North Ward League
Lacrosse Argument Indecisive—Four Goals Each—at
Finish—Fast Going

If it had been possible to put "Sammy" Lorimer in chains for five minutes of last night's Cloverdale-North Ward league lacrosse match, instead of reporting a draw—four goals each—a Ward victory would have been announced. Conversely, had it been possible for some ingenious and kindhearted individual to inject just the tiniest pinch of ginger into the Cloverdale home, the latter team would not be wearing the laurel crown.

As it is, however, and leaving all conjecture to take care of itself, the teams are about six of one and half a dozen of the other in their playing strength. That Cloverdale defence is a stone wall. Against it the rubber rebounds as surely almost as it would if thrown against the Dallas road embankment. And the key-stone of the superstructure is "Sammy." It would be hard to beat that North Ward "home." Certainly, after the second quarter it worked honestly and more or less deftly. In the last quarter, with the score an even four, McDougall, Sargison, Pettierew, and Morris bored their way in time after time. Repeated failure, the constant sight of the elephantine Lorimer figure emerging triumphant from the melee, made Ward supporters pray that something might make it possible to lasso and tie him in the tall hay outside the range of hostilities.

The Speediest Ever

Taking it all in all, it was the finest exhibition of lacrosse that has been seen here this season, and this statement, mind you, is made by a man who has seen many a game in which Victoria gave Vancouver a bad fall. The speed was there all the time, the stick handling averaged was pretty near the .999 mark, and the shooting—well, if the reader wasn't there, he or she need only be told that the Cloverdale home got by Johnson three times in one, two three order within ten minutes after the start to realize the class in that respect. It was simply a case of Sweeney securing the ball at the draw, passing it, a rush, and—zip—the rubber was where Cloverdale wanted it. Where was Sweeney, Noel, Dakers and Kroeger when this was going on. It may be asked, They didn't have a chance, it was done so quickly. There were a few cross-fire passes and the ball went into the net like a shot from a maxim. On this play there is no criticism coming to the defenders; only praise for the attack.

Of course, that couldn't go on without interruption. There was a change, and a decided one, after the third goal. Then the Wards got the rubber beyond centre field for the first time. "Sammy" began to puff and pant, like a heavy locomotive climbing a two and a half per cent. grade as he got into action. But he was effective. However, in spite of the burly one and, notwithstanding the work of "Jimmy" Temple, the two Red-graves, and Owens, two were notched by the Ward home before the quarter's finish.

Cloverdale To Good

Thus the second opened with the Cloverdale one to the good. Up to this period they had been outstepping the Wards, and Alderman Russ Humber's countenance, prominent in the grand

stand, was a study. Now, however, the play began to find its level. They worked at very fast and very even. In but a few minutes the Wards had equalized. Not long after this the Cloverdale home caught their rivals off guard. There was a quick rush. Young got a beautiful opening, and the ball was whisked into the net.

Checking was closer in the third. The lads were beginning to warm up. Both sides were getting extremely anxious. Often Messrs. Carss, Young, Bishop and Dempster worked in on the Ward defence. Perhaps just a little more frequently the McDougall, McDonald, Morris and Sargison outfit was busy hammering "Sammy" and his lieutenants. Apart from the relegation of "Joe" Dakers to the fence for a few minutes, nothing of special importance occurred until McDougall from a distance shot. It was a forlorn hope, but it proved good escaping the Lorimer eagle eye and the ready stick of Clarke, who, by the way, was looking after the flags in champion style.

Wards' Vigorous Attack

Naturally, with the game even, the fourth and last quarter was bound to be a hummer. The boys were keyed up to the highest pitch. Now it wouldn't be fair to the Wards if it wasn't noted that they were on the aggressive practically the whole time during this period. The number of times that Cloverdale got away could be counted on the fingers of one hand. Still, that is no particular reflection on the latter. Their strength lay in the defence, and they knew it. So, finding the Wards rather more than a match in the field, they lunched in and around the flags, confronting the blue jerseys with a problem that they found insoluble.

An extra five minutes was played, but it brought no result, and so the game was pronounced a draw.

Stanley Peele made a first-class referee, although in one instance he put a North Ward man to the fence when the trouble, quite distinctly, was the other way.

The Teams

North Ward	Position	Cloverdale
Johnston	Goal	Clark
Sweeney	Point	Lorimer
Dakers	Cover Point	Temple
Noel	First Defence	Redgrave
Kroeger	Second Defence	Owens
Brynolfson	Third Defence	Redgrave
Humber	Centre	Sweeney
Pettierew	Third Home	Harris
Sargison	Second Home	Carss
Morris	First Home	Young
McDonald	Outside Home	Bishop
McDougall	Inside Home	Dempster

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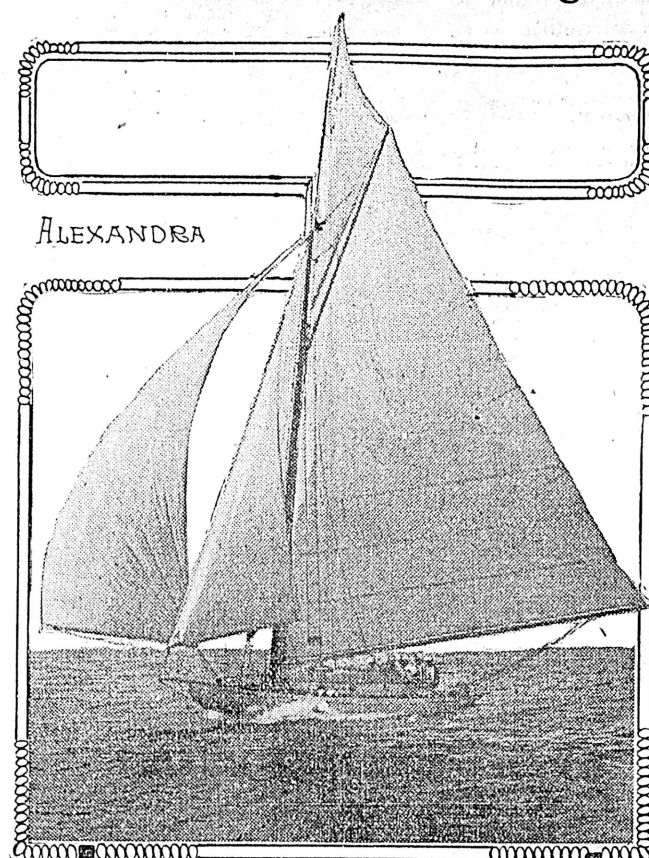
If the Victoria lacrosse players continue to put up the class of lacrosse that was played last night, there is no doubt of the Canadian national game regaining its popularity here.

Once again Al. Sargison shone among the home players. He's a picture. Stick handling, running and shooting are his three outstanding merits.

Cloverdale must adopt the Wards' method of marking their players with numbers. There was one of the home men, either Young or Bishop, as far as could be distinguished from the grand stand, who did some splendid sprinting. His playing was more effective, being specially noticeable on more than one occasion.

"There it goes to Pettierew. Watch him take his time." This from a couple

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of excited ladies who were watching the different players far more carefully than any of the selection committee. If Pettierew's left ear didn't sting there's no merit in the old adage. They didn't like his Scottish deliberation. And yet Pettierew put up one of the most useful games on the field.

Only one change can be suggested for the improvement of the Cloverdale defence. Suppose Lorimer were to be placed at third defence. That would give him more ground to cover; he would be found in action oftener; there would be more entertainment, and the training would make him much more graceful and less dangerous.

Clarke, Cloverdale's flag tenderer, is a clever youngster with the stick. Either that or he had a lot of luck last night. At any rate, he stopped quite a few hot ones, and, after all, its results that count.

Papke and Monte Attell Winners
KANSAS CITY, June 15.—Billy Papke tonight knocked out Al Goodell in the second round of what was to have been a ten round bout.

BALTIMORE, Md., June 15.—In a 15 round fight before the Eureka A. C. last night, Monte Attell of California defeated Young Britt of this city.

TWO VICTORIES FOR THE STUDENTS

University School Cricket Team
Wins From Empress Eleven
By Decided Margin—Some
Excellent Batting

The University School and Empress cricket teams met on the former's grounds yesterday in a match which resulted in a victory for the students. The Empress team batted first and made 91 before they were disposed of. Longworth batted nicely for 19. Mr. Sparks took four wickets for 32 for the School. The School sent Mr. Sparks and Bell-Irving first. Bell-Irving batted well and defied the bowlers for a long time, and had made 24 when he was bowled by a good one from Giegler. Mr. Sparks continued to hit merrily, and at the call of time was 80 not out. Price, who was 15 not out, was batting nicely.

The full scores are as follows:

Empress C. C.	
Bolton, b Sparks	0
Longworth, b McGulgan	19
Stevens, b Sparks	3
Anderson, b Sparks	1
Paborn, b Rich	0
Selfe, b Sparks	8
Pegler, b McGulgan	14
Lush, not out	11
Hardy, not out	9
Winter, b Barnacle	9
Spencer, b Pegler	17
Extras	14
Total	91

University School C. C.

Bell-Irving, b Pegler	24
P. A. Sparks, not out	30
Rich, b Pegler, b Bolton	3
Mathews, b Pegler	0
Price, not out	15
Spencer, b Pegler	0
Extras	14
Total for four wickets	136

McGulgan, Thorsen, Rand, Wyld and J. C. Barnacle did not bat.

Another School Win.

In University school second eleven vs. the Warden's eleven. After a close game the school won by eight runs. Bagshawe and Whitmore batted well, whilst Gordon and McAnally bowled excellently.

The scores follow:

1st Innings, Rev. W. W. Bolton Eleven	
Rev. W. W. Bolton, run out	2
A. G. Tracey, b Gordon	22
A. R. Sherwood, b McAnally	0
T. V. Thurnburn, b McAnally	0
F. H. Boshorn, b Sanderson, b McAnally	2
M. Cane, b Gordon	0
N. Roshier, b McAnally, b Gordon	3
W. Agar, b Gordon	0
C. Roshier, b Bagshawe, b Gordon	0
A. R. Dobson, not out	1
F. Thomas, b McAnally	1
Total	37

Second Innings, W. W. Bolton's Eleven

A. G. Tracey, b Gordon	2
M. Cane, b Gordon	17
A. R. Sherwood, b McAnally	0
V. Thurnburn, b McAnally	0
F. H. Roshier, run out	2
W. Agar, b Beach, b McAnally	2
N. Roshier, b McAnally	11
T. G. Thomas, L.B.W. McAnally	0
A. R. Dobson, not out	4

C. Roster, c Woodward, b McAnally 0
Rev. W. W. Bolton did not bat. 0
Byes 3

Total 41
University School, Second Eleven, First Innings.

Tatlow, s Cane, b Tracey	9
Whittonie, c McAnally, b Bolton	1
Woodward, b Tracey	4
Devine, b Tracey	3
Gordon, b Tracey	0
Bagshawe, not out	14
McAnally, b F. H. Roshier	4
Lochyer, c Thomas, b J. H. Roshier	0
Sanderson, b F. H. Roshier	2
Beech, c and b F. H. Roshier	0
Coburn, b F. H. Roshier	0
Wides	5
Byes	2
Total	44

Second Innings

Bagshawe, b Bolton	8
Tatlow, b Tracey	9
Woodward, b Tracey	0
Whittonie, c and b Roshier	17
Sanderson, b Tracey	8
McAnally, b Tracey	0
Gordon, c Tracey, b Roshier	1
Lochyer, b Tracey	1
Coburn, not out	0
Beech, b Tracey	3
Devine, b Tracey	0
Byes	1
Total	48

BRITISH TEAM

TO PLAY HERE

Oxford-Cambridge Rugby Fifteen Will Tour West Visiting Vancouver and Victoria—Plans Outlined

VANCOUVER, June 15.—A combined Oxford-Cambridge Rugby team will play here next fall. Ralph Merritt, graduate manager of the University of California at Berkeley, passed through the city yesterday leaving on the eastbound express in the evening for London, Eng., to complete arrangements for the visit. While here Mr. Merritt arranged to have the English students play a couple of games in Vancouver and Victoria.

"The California 'varsities,'" said Mr. Merritt, "are anxious to have a team come out and I have been instructed to arrange the tour regardless of expense. We could give them a dozen matches in the south, while Vancouver and Victoria will be also included in the itinerary of the touring side. The Britishers will be here, I expect, about the middle of October. I have not prepared a schedule, but it is altogether likely that they will play first in California, coming to Vancouver and Victoria en route home."

In discussing the progress of the Rugby game in California, Mr. Merritt said that the game was being introduced everywhere in the south and was played in every leading educational institution. "Two years ago the game was tabooed in many of our high schools," said Mr. Merritt, "but last year almost every school adopted the game and when the season opens again next fall we hope to have every boy in the south playing Rugby."

B. J. Perry says the steelheads are so thick in Cowichan river that they are to be found in "droves."

NO TEAM FOR DAVIS CUP GAMES

United States Not Expected to Be Represented in International Championship Matches In Australia This Season

NEW YORK, June 15.—Interest in the possibility of international tennis matches for the Davis cup this year has been waning steadily ever since it was announced that not one of the eastern states could be prevailed upon to go to either Great Britain for the qualifying round or later to Australia to attempt once more the regaining of the famous trophy. The departure for England of Beals C. Wright probably will prove the real feature of tennis for this country so far as international matches are concerned and Wright's invasion is purely a personal one.

Interviews with the leading racket wielders elicited no enthusiasm at all, and the consensus of opinion among these men is that, regrettable as it may seem, it is nevertheless preferable to rest easy this year, rather than make another unsuccessful attempt to regain the Davis cup.

The least pessimistic of those in a position to know the inside facts is Robert D. Wrenn, chairman of the international committee of this country. Mr. Wrenn, himself an old-time star and internationalist, is not willing to admit that the preliminary matches or a trip to Australia are off for this year. He declared that his committee was still working hard, but was not ready for an official announcement. From what he guardedly said and also from interviews with the leading players, it was gathered that not one of the first ten would think of going to Australia.

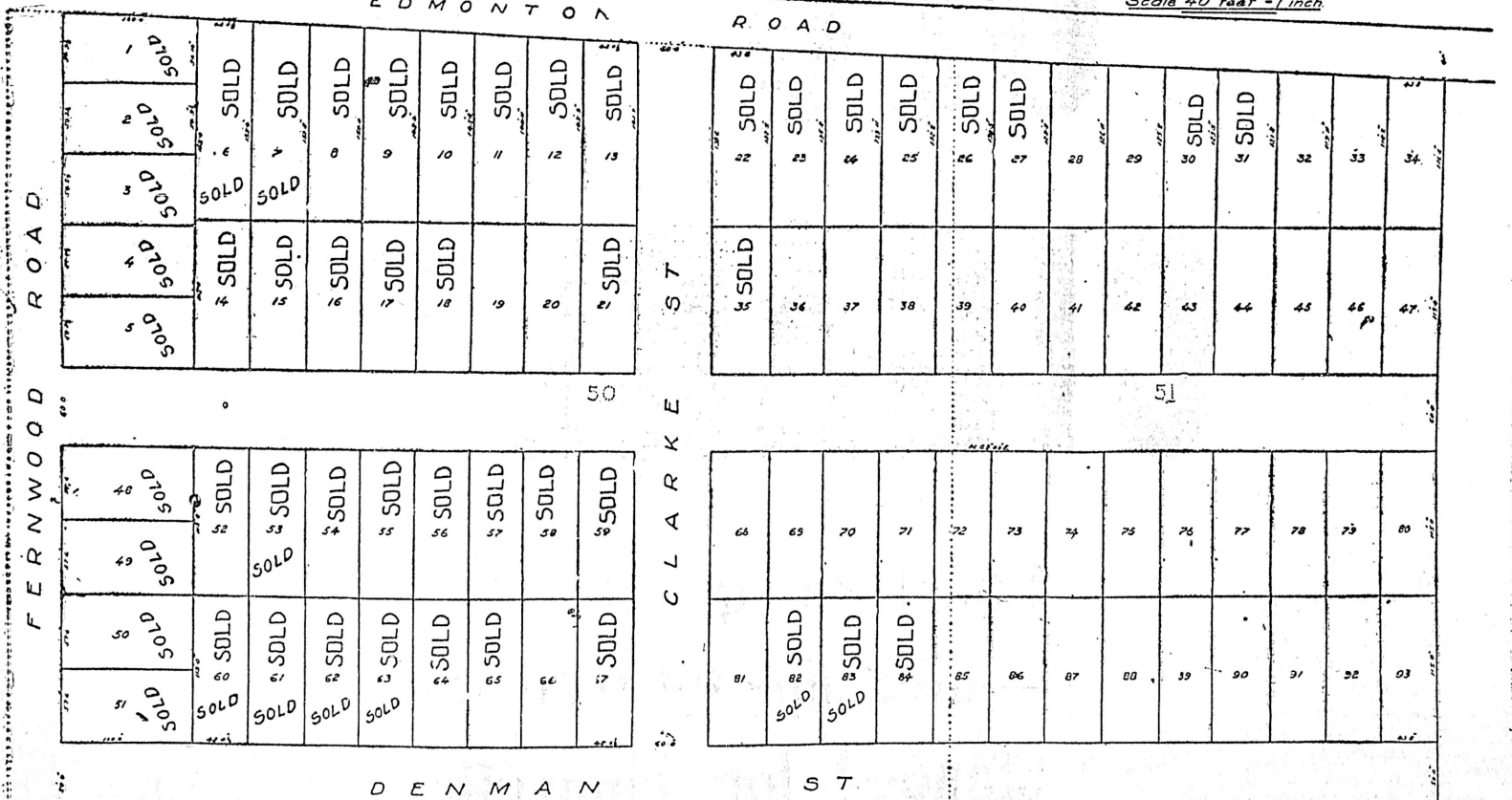
One of the stars who has been importuned to make the trip together with Beals Wright, while confessing that he did not know positively just what was in the air, gave as his opinion that only the two San Francisco boys, Long and McLoughlin, who made an inglorious invasion last year into the Antipodes, would answer affirmatively any request to fight for the Davis cup.

Three high speed motor boats will be sent from England to take part in the international cup race for motor boats which will be run over the Larchmont yacht club's course on Saturday, August 20.

Lukeman, the Canadian sprinter, is out after the scalps of "Bobby" Kerr and Cloughen. Certainly if he did the one hundred yards in the time credited him is the recent Taton field meet at Toronto he should be able to carry out his threat. But there are some sceptics who question the accuracy of the timers. The proof of the pudding is in the eating.

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YOUNGSTERS WILL PLAY LACROSSE

First of Local Second Division Matches Will Be Played Between North Ward and Victoria West.

SECOND DIVISION SCHEDULE GAMES

June 16—North Wards v. Victoria West.
June 23—Oak Bay v. North Ward.
July 7—Victoria West v. Oak Bay.
July 14—Victoria West v. North Ward.
July 21—Oak Bay v. Victoria West.
July 28—North Ward v. Victoria West.

Following is the Junior League Schedule:
June 27—North Ward v. Victoria West.
July 11—Victoria West v. North Ward.
July 18—North Ward v. Victoria West.

In a game between Victoria West and North Ward, at the Royal Athletic grounds tonight, the second division league lacrosse series will be inaugurated. The officials who have been following the work of the youngsters of the rival districts predict an even game. The V. W. A. A. twelve will take the field as follows: Goal, G. Brown; point, S. Ross (captain); cover, W. Johnson; first defence, Perkins; second defence, Robertson; third defence, Williams; centre, G. Brown; third home, Bailey; second home, Sample; first home, Stevens; outside home, A. Corkle; inside home, W. Bartlett. Reserves: home, Thomas; defence, E. Bartlett. North Ward's line-up is appended: Goal, S. Hunter; point, A. Dakers; cover point, F. Dinsdale; first defence, C. Phillips; second defence, W. Blake; third defence, J. Dakers (captain); centre, Hodgson; third home, McCarter; second home, Taylor; first home, Martin; outside home, Macgregor; inside home, Baker. Reserves: Defence, Wall and Rowbottom, home, O'Brien and Roberts.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE

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It had been brought in direct opposition to the expressed views of the City Council. It was shown by affidavit that at the last meeting of the City Council, the legislative committee had reported recommending that legal proceedings be instituted to test the rights of the defendants, and that Mr. Peters, K.C., be retained in such proceedings, but the report was not adopted by the council. The power sought to be exercised in this particular instance lies with the mayor and council, not with the mayor alone. Authorities were produced to show that where a solicitor brings action without proper authority, the proceedings are either dismissed or stayed until a proper retainer had been given.

Peters, K.C.: The only party affected or who could object is the Corporation, but in any event defendants are not entitled to object. We submit, further, that the mayor, as chief executive officer, has power under the Municipal Clauses act to authorize the commencement of legal proceedings for the City; and, also, the City Solicitor is retained by law.

Gregory J. held that a general retainer was not sufficient and dismissed the application.
Rex v. Black et al.—An application was made on behalf of the prisoners, by Aikman, for a writ of certiorari. The prisoners were convicted and sentenced for inebriation for refusing duty on board a British ship. They were proceeded against under the Canadian statute, which makes provision for dealing with such offences on ships registered in Canada. As this ship was not so registered, the men should have been proceeded against under the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894. Gregory J. discharged the prisoners.

LABOR MATTERS ARE DISCUSSED

Causes of Machinists' Strike Explained by Delegates to Trades Council at Meeting Last Night.

The Trades and Labor Council met last evening, President Watters in the chair.

Mr. William Murphy presented his credentials as delegate from the Theatrical Workers' union and was duly initiated.

The Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners wrote to say that the mass meeting held two weeks previously had proved a great success, and that the president of the Labor Council had occupied the chair. Good addresses were made, and an immense amount of interest displayed by all in the work of organization.

Mr. W. H. Beasley wrote to say that the only contractors engaged on the Alberni branch were Messrs. Jennis, McDonald and Shimothy. The secretary was instructed to ask Mr. Beasley for the names of any firms holding contracts anywhere on the Island.

Mr. J. R. Sherk wrote on behalf of the Union to say that his union was heart and soul with the council in the movement to establish a Provincial Labor Council.

The secretary of the Toronto Painters' Union wrote to say that the strike among the painters in that district was still on.

The secretary of the Victoria Free Library wrote to say that the list of books furnished by the Labor Council committee had been approved and the secretary was instructed to return the sincere thanks of the Labor Council. At this point Mr. A. J. Cohn presented his credentials as delegate from the Cooks and Waiters' Union and was sworn in and seated.

Delegate Tibbits, of the Tailors' Union, gave notice of motion that at the next meeting of the council he would move an amendment to the constitution making it imperative that every delegate to the labor council must be able to show at least three articles of clothing bearing the union label.

Much interest is taken in this move, because it is out of the ordinary, and the next meeting of the council will no doubt be a record breaker.

Delegate Nicholson, of the Carpenters' Union, made a few happy and appropriate remarks, thanking the different unions for the help rendered at their mass meeting, which he announced had resulted in twenty new members entering the union. He said that the union would hold another mass meeting in Labor Hall next Friday evening, which will be addressed by many well known labor speakers.

The Vancouver Labor Council wrote urging that the Victoria council take steps to have its president, Mr. Watters, commissioned as an organizer of the American Federation of Labor, as he now represents the Labor Congress of Canada, and every effort should be made to consolidate all attempts at organization, with a view of doing more effective work.

As the secretary was awaiting a reply from Secretary Morrison, of the American Federation on a question akin to this one, it was decided to postpone making the request for a hearing from Mr. Morrison was heard from.

Delegates complained that Chinamen were employed mixing mortar on the Moss Street School construction work. The secretary was instructed to bring the matter to the attention of Chairman Jay, of the school board, of the shore and had to be pulled out of the water, being so exhausted that

white men were employed to do the work.

Three delegates from the Cigarmakers' Union appeared and asked for access to the records for the purpose of clearing up a misunderstanding. The request was ordered granted.

Notice was given that the members of the Machinists Union were on strike for an eight-hour day and 45 cents per hour with every chance of having their demands granted. It was decided to place the free use of Labor hall at the disposal of the union in daytime while the strike lasted. The causes leading to the strike were explained by the machinists' delegates and on motion the action of the machinists were endorsed, and the support of the council pledged to the machinists. With the exception of San Francisco every city on the Pacific coast will be affected. At San Francisco the wages and hours demanded are already in force and at one or two other places.

Delegate Smith, of the bookbinders, said he had been informed that an advertisement was being published in the eastern papers asking for 2,000 men to work on corporation work in Victoria. He could not obtain a copy of the papers in question, but he had had an interview with City Engineer Smith, who informed him that no such advertisement had been authorized by the city council of Victoria.

President Watters announced that the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada had appointed a travelling organizer for the West, and he had written asking the executive to instruct the organizer to commence his labors on the Pacific Coast and work his way East, and he hoped for a favorable reply.

Delegates announced that their unions, viz., sheet metal workers, printing pressmen, moulders and tailors, were in favor of the extra per capita tax of two cents per head per quarter, to defray the expense of direct affiliation with the American Federation of Labor.

At 10:30 o'clock the council adjourned.

PARENTS LOSING THEIR CHILDREN

(Continued from Page 1.)

ST. PETERSBURG, June 15.—The senate, the highest court of appeal in Russia, today ordered that the expulsion of Jewish children at Moscow be suspended, until a decision has been handed down interpreting the law with reference to children. An official statement by Premier Stolypin yesterday made special reference to the expulsion of school children from Moscow, explaining that professional women enjoying a right of residence outside the Pale may not confer the same privilege upon their children. As a consequence many children have been separated from their parents.

WOLFFE TO TRY TO SWIM CHANNEL

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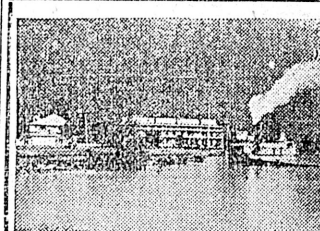
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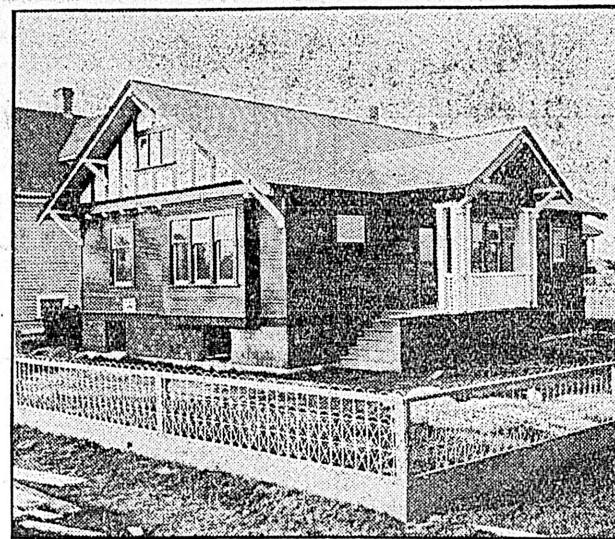
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LETTERS TO EDITOR

Solar Phenomena.

Sir—Concerning the spots seen on sun one afternoon lately which you invited your correspondents to give their impressions of, I wish to tell you that from a window on Battery street, looking straight out at the sun at twenty minutes to five o'clock, the large black spots reminded me at once of an egg boiler, two large ovals joined by bridge as I have heard this narrow black divide called, but I thought this seemed to be like the narrow through which the sands of the egg boiler ran from one oval to the other.

MARIE STUDERT.

Date Incorrect

Sir—Allow me to correct an error which appeared in your paper of the 14th in reference to the late Mr. Campbell. That gentleman did not come to this country with me. I first met Mr. Campbell in 1867 or 1868 when he was coming in to British Columbia with a herd of cattle from over the line. I am not, formerly, of the Agricultural department, being still an occupant of a position in that department, and formerly was chief commissioner land and works. As for the late Mr. Campbell, with whom my children are related, I have nothing to say, except that he was a good neighbor and a kind and generous friend.

G. B. MARTIN.

Vancouver Tactics.

Sir—In the Vancouver World of the 6th inst. is a report of the sitting of the University Site Commission in Vancouver. Among those who favored the Commission with their views was the Rev. D. J. Fraser, D. D., LL.D., Professor of New Testament Literature in the Presbyterian College, Montreal, who is just now giving a special course of lectures to the students of Westminster Hall. He is reported to have said, "that when the establishment of a theological college in British Columbia was first talked of only one place was thought of, and that was Vancouver," and in reply to an enquiry of Commissioner Murray as to whether the permanent home of Westminster Hall was not dependent on the location of the university, that the question of any other site than Vancouver had never been "mooted." A statement so extraordinary credited to one naturally so careful as I know Dr. Fraser to be constrained me to think that probably the zeal of the reporter led him to write what had been said but what he wished to have said. Accordingly I wrote Dr. Fraser asking whether he had been correctly reported. Yesterday I received his answer from which I quote one sufficient sentence: "I did not say that any other site than Van-

couver for Westminster Hall had never been mooted."

Surely it is a desperate case that requires the support of such tactics.

W. LESLIE CLAY.

Solar Phenomena.

Sir—The inclosed cutting from your issue of June, is the one left out in my letter published 14th inst. It was undecipherable. Publish it or as much (if any) as you may deem necessary. It supports your contention, that the weird and alarming (to some) phenomena seen on the sun on the evening of May 18, were the result of the interference of Halley's comet.

J. S. HELMCKEN.

VALLEJO, Cal., May 18.—Prof. T. J. See, of the United States naval observatory at Mare Island, tonight reported the following observations on sun spots: "Great sun spots were noted at 4 p. m. today. The largest spot was slightly northeast of the sun centre, and was made up of three parts, roughly joined together by bridging, such as characterizes complicated spots. "This seems to indicate that the disturbance is likely to last several days. It appears to be increasing in magnitude or to be of the vortex or whirlpool type, which often gives rise to disturbance of the earth's magnetism. The sun spots will reach the sun's central meridian in another day or two. If any disturbance of the earth's magnetism is to occur from this cause it is likely to come about Friday.

"The spots now seen are not believed to have any connection with the comet, and if any aurora or electric effects occur, we probably should ascribe them to the comet rather than to the spots on the sun. The largest spots observed at Mare Island was estimated to be 60,000 miles long and 30,000 miles wide. "If we could build an observatory on the border line, between our atmosphere and 'space,' what would it be like?"

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B. P. Schwengers' announcement that he will be on hand to defend his title to top place in the northwest tennis world, has been received in Spokane with gratification. The Spokesman-Review says: Joe C. Tyler, who will represent the Spokane club, was a runner up until last year, winning the championship in four out of six meets which he took part in on the coast last summer. In one of these matches he beat Schwengers, while in a second match lost to the Canadian. Speaking of the coming tourney, Joe Tyler said last night: "While I have received no names as to who would be here for the meet, I have been advised that eight or ten may be expected from Lewiston, four from Everett, eight or ten from Vancouver, four or five from Seattle and quite a party from Portland. It is barely possible that Miss May Sutton

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This estate consists of 480 acres partly laid out in pasturage, partly under cultivation for wheat, oats, etc., and includes Marron Lake (5 acres). The land in and around consists of the choicest bottom and bench lands, the soil varying little, and is very productive for all kinds of fruit, produce, etc. From a sportsman's point of view it is the only plentiful deer valley around. The residence contains six rooms and overlooks the lake. There is also a two-roomed cottage on the bench land, and barns for horses, cattle, etc. The whole, including cattle, sheep, pigs, fowls, farm machinery, tools, etc., can be had on valuation. Another 160 acres can be had, if required, the whole being splendidly adapted for fruit acreage and can be sub-divided accordingly.

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and Miss Mabel Hotchkiss, the two great California women players, will be here. I will not know until the latter part of this week."

In conjunction with the International tournament the meet for the championship of the Inland Empire also will be held at the same time, and it is expected that with the two tourneys quite a number of players will be in Spokane during the first week of July.

Southern Pacific Bonds Sold
NTW YORK, June 15.—Kuhn, Loeb & Co. today announced the closing of negotiations for the sale of \$25,000,000 of the Southern Pacific Company's San Francisco terminal first mortgage four per cent. bonds to an European syndicate made up of bankers in Berlin, Hamburg, Amsterdam, Basle and London. The bonds are to be issued to reimburse the Southern Pacific Company for money expended in acquiring terminal properties in San Francisco.

MR. BORDEN'S TOUR

CAMPBELLFORD, Ont., June 15.—The opening meeting of the tour of R. L. Borden was held here this afternoon, and this town gave the Conservative leader a hearty welcome. The speeches were delivered in Ferris' Grove and over 1,500 people from all portions of the riding gathered to hear Mr. Borden, C. K. Doherty, Hon. W. J. Hanna and Mr. Owen, the federal member for the constituency. The main feature of Mr. Borden's address was his criticisms of the business incapacity of the Laurier government "which has shown itself unable to cope in an intelligent manner with the problems facing the country at the present time." Mr. Borden expressed confidence that the time was not far distant when the bulk of the Canadian people would again entrust the destinies of Canada to the Conservative party. Nor was the reception given to Mr.

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Doherty any less hearty. The eloquent Irishman from St. Anne's early caught the favor of the crowd and he received an ovation at the close of an address in which he dwelt upon the government's disregard of the high standards of purity and honesty in public life, its refusal to trust the people and let the light of day shine upon the departmental transactions.

CALGARY, June 15.—"British agriculturists now coming to Alberta accept of conditions as they find them. On Wednesday last a party arrived, and by Saturday a number of the party were erecting buildings on the land they secured. Some are living in tents. Such aggressive settlers cannot fall in this country," says G. B. Gray, in charge of the last party brought out by the Canadian Pacific. These people purchased over 7,500 acres of Central Alberta land. Mr. Gray reports that members of the British party arriving last March have already largely increased the size of their original holdings. The London office of the Canadian Pacific has found so much inquiry for lands that the staff has been largely increased.

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2 1-5 ACRES on Cloverdale ave., all clear, no rock, \$2,312 Would subdivide into lots.

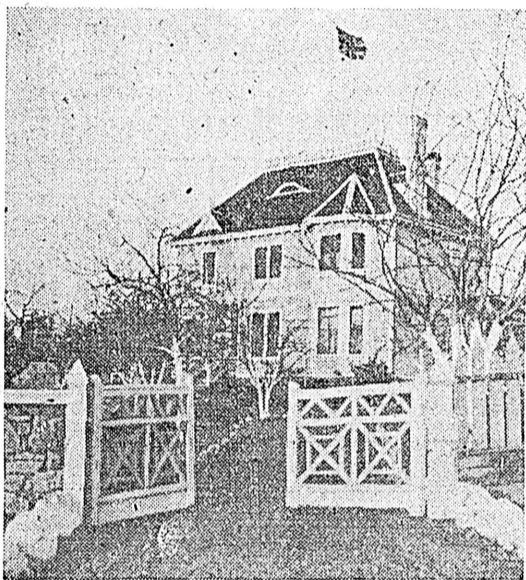
2 CHOICE LOTS ON THIRD STREET, between Bay and Queens, each 60x140, with alley at rear, each. . . . \$1,200

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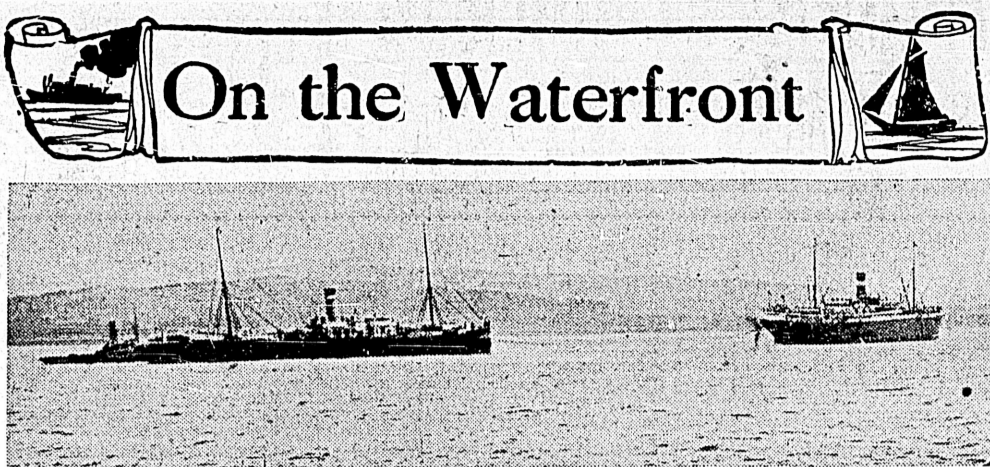
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On the Waterfront

A Marconi Triumph—The Disabled Allan Liner Carthaginian Arriving at Greenock in Tow of the Hesperian.
The safe arrival of the Allan liner Carthaginian and Hesperian recently at the Tail of the Bank, Greenock, adds another tribute to the genius of Marconi and his "wireless" operators. The Carthaginian, bound for St. John's and Philadelphia, was rendered helpless when about 250 miles west of Main Head owing to a broken piston rod. An appeal for towing services was despatched to the Hesperian, which was then speeding Glasgow-wards from Boston. The latter, on receiving the summons, immediately turned to the west and succeeded in picking up the disabled liner, which she towed safely to Greenock.

BUSY DAY AT THE WHARVES

Keemun Leaves for Liverpool
and the R.M.S. Empress of
India Sails for Hongkong
and Ports of Far East

SIX OCEAN CRAFT ALONG THE DOCKS

Restorer Winding 45 Miles of
Deep Sea Cable From Big
Tank of the Holt Liner Oanfa
for C.P.R. Telegraphs

Two liners sailed from the outer wharf yesterday for the Far East, the R.M.S. Empress of India of the C.P.R. for Hongkong and way ports, and the Keemun of the Blue Funnel line, bound to Yokohama, en route to Liverpool by way of the usual ports of the Far East. The Empress liner had a good complement of passengers and a cargo of about 2,200 tons of merchandise. The cargo list of the Keemun looked like a list of the world's great seaports. Her 7,000 tons of freight are consigned to a majority of the large markets of the seven seas. For instance, she has merchandise for such wide-flung cities as Yokohama, Dairen, Kobe, Shanghai, Tsingtau, Hankow, Fusan, Chemulpo, Bangkok, Rangoon, Manila, Iloilo, Cebu, Zamboanga, Glasgow, Havre, Amsterdam, Tokyo and Swatow.

The chief items in her manifest are 23,000 cases of canned salmon, 30,000 sacks of flour, 700,000 feet of lumber and a large amount of general merchandise. From Victoria the Holt liner took shipments of lumber, canned salmon and whale oil, and embarked 60 Chinese here. Six of the Chinese taken from here by the Keemun were deported, having been shipped back to Hongkong because they failed to pay the \$500 head tax required from Chinese entering Canada.

The Oanfa, of the Blue Funnel line, is still discharging cargo at the outer wharves, and the steamer Restorer is alongside taking on board 45 miles of deep sea cable from the tank on board the Blue Funnel liner. The cable is being wound out of this tank to that on board the cable steamer. It is a three-core cable, 4 1/2 inches in diameter, and was brought from England in a great tank twenty-two feet and ten inches in diameter and about nine and one-half feet deep. It is expected three days will be required to unwind the 254 tons of cable from this tank on board the Restorer. After the cable is taken out the tank will be landed at Vancouver to be used by the C.P.R. for storing cable for repair purposes. When the cable and general merchandise for local merchants is landed at the pier wharf the Oanfa will proceed to Esquimalt to discharge a big shipment of steel pipes for the Esquimalt Waterworks Company.

The outer wharf presented a busy scene yesterday, with the many liners in port. There were six deep sea vessels at the dock yesterday, two Blue Funnel liners, the R.M.S. Empress of India, the cable steamer Restorer, and the steamers Spokane and City of Pueblo of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company.

**VENTURE TO
START MONDAY**
New Steamer of Boscowitz Steamship Company Will Run Every Ten Days.

The steamer Venture, of the Boscowitz Steamship Company, which is completing an overhaul at the Victoria Machinery Depot, is to start service on Monday next, and will run north every ten days to the usual ports of call on the northern British Columbia coast. A number of bookings have already been made for her initial trip. She will alternate with the Vadso and St. Denis. The Vadso is to leave for the north tonight, and the St. Denis will sail the following Thursday. The steamer is about ready for launching, but the ways of the Victoria Machinery Depot cannot be lowered, owing to the freighter J. L. Card being sunk off the end of the cradle.

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

By Government Wireless.

Noon
Point Grey—Cloudy; calm; bar, 29.97; temp, 63; hazy seaward. Out, Vadso, 11.45 a.m.; Empress of India left Vancouver 11 a.m.
Cape Lazo—Cloudy; wind S.E.; bar, 29.94; temp, 65; sea moderate.
Tatoosh—Cloudy; wind S.E., 8 miles; bar, 40.02; temp, 50.
Pachena—Drizzly; wind W.; temp, 55; sea moderate.
Estevan—Cloudy; wind S.E.; thick; bar, 29.98; temp, 50; sea moderate.
Ikeda—Drizzling; light S.E. wind; light swell.
Triangle Island—Fog; strong S.E. wind; bar, 29.20; temp, 40; heavy swell.

6 p.m.
Point Grey—Clear; calm; bar, 29.95; temp, 68. No shipping.
Cape Lazo—Clear; wind S.E.; bar, 29.93; temp, 63; sea smooth. Spoke Cottage City at 2 p.m., waiting for tide in Seymour Narrows. Spokane at 5.30 p.m., passed Active Pass at 2.30 p.m., north bound.
Tatoosh—Clear; wind S., 9 miles; bar, 30; temp, 63. Out, schooner C. S. Holmes, towing, at 12.40 p.m., out, Keemun, at 3.40 p.m. In, U. S. S. Manzanita, at 3.50 p.m.
Estevan—Cloudy; wind W.; temp, 52; light swell. No shipping.
Pachena—Cloudy; wind S.E.; bar, 29.95; temp, 63; sea moderate. No shipping.
Ikeda—Drizzling; wind S.W.; light swell. No shipping.
Triangle—Thick fog, strong S.E. wind; bar, 29.28 (unreduced); temp, 48; heavy swell. No shipping.

Prince Rupert—Drizzling wind S.E.; sea smooth. Spoke Humboldt, arrived here south bound at 5 p.m., reports City of Seattle following, south bound will arrive here 10.10 a.m. tomorrow. Chicago off Rose Spit, north bound at 3.30 p.m. Prince Rupert arrived at 1.30 p.m.

FREIGHT STEAMER TO BE SOLD

Knight of St. George to Be
Auctioned off at Golden Gate
After Taking Coal from British
Columbia to Acapulco

The British steamer Knight of St. George, which is on the way to Acapulco, from Comox, with a full cargo of coal, will on her return north be taken to San Francisco to be sold at auction on July 26th. The sale will take place at the Merchant's Exchange and James J. Searle will be the auctioneer. The Knight of St. George is a steel freight steamer of 2,967 tons register, built in 1890. She carries 7,040 tons of general cargo, dead weight, or 3,500,000 feet of lumber. Dowdell & Co., are agents of the steamer.

RECORD TRIP NORTH

S. S. Prince Rupert Inaugurates
Schedule by Making Fast Run to
G.T.P. Terminus.

Thirty-two hours out from Vancouver, and after covering the distance of over 500 miles at an average speed of over 14 knots an hour the S. S. Prince Rupert arrived at the port of the same name yesterday at 1.30 p. m. The trip north is stated to have been the fastest ever made by any vessel on the route. Calm weather with favoring winds aided the new steamer in making a good run.

The Prince Rupert will leave the northern port this morning on the return journey, and is expected to arrive back here on Saturday night. She sails again next Monday morning on her scheduled route.

Amur Sails Tonight
Steamer Amur will leave the C. P. R. dock tonight for Queen Charlotte Island ports. She was scheduled to leave last night, but was delayed on account of heavy frosts.

To Float J. L. Card
The steam freighter J. L. Card is still below water in the upper harbor, and steps are being taken to raise her. The cargo is now being removed, and it is not expected there will be any difficulty in floating the vessel.

SPOKANE TAKES EXCURSIONISTS

The Pacific Coast Company's
Steamer Left Outer Wharf
Yesterday on First Trip of
This Season to Glaciers

Bound on her first excursion trip of this season to Southeastern Alaska waters on a ten-day trip through the inside passage to visit Indian villages, and the remnants of the picturesque Russian settlements, the glaciers, the fishing and whaling plants, the big mining industries of Douglas Island, and the thousand and one other features which go to make the tour of the northern coast so attractive, the steamer Spokane, of the Pacific Coast Steamship Co., sailed from the Outer Wharf at 11 o'clock yesterday morning after a stay of five hours here. Tally-hos and hacks, autos, also a jaunty car, met the steamer in the early morning, and the excursionists spent a pleasant time sightseeing in Victoria, before going north. The fashion and wealth of the east was well represented on board the Spokane.

The steamer has been recently overhauled, and was spick and span, her sailors were in trim uniforms of blue and white, and everything was arranged to make the steamer suitable for the trade in which she is engaged. C. D. Dunnan, general passenger agent of the Pacific Coast Steamship Co., who is the originator of the excursion business to Alaska, and who is looked upon as having done more to advertise the country than any other individual, was among those aboard the Spokane, it being his custom to make at least one trip into the north each year.

Mr. Dunnan says the steamer's accommodation has been practically sold out for the entire season, the demand for berths being larger each year. In order to cope with the demand, it has been necessary to place the steamer Queen in the excursion service for two trips in July and August.

Capt. H. C. Thomas, who is a veteran master of the Pacific Coast Steamship Co., was on the bridge of the Spokane.

There were 130 passengers aboard the Spokane, the most of them being rich easterners who came to the Coast expressly to take the trip. One Raymond-Whitcomb party included forty persons from New York and Philadelphia. Among Seattle people on the vessel were Mrs. Moran, accompanied by Miss Alice Joyce, Miss Jessie Williams and Miss Elsie Williams; M. B. Augustin and wife, E. H. Brown, of the navy yard, Pugs Sound, and wife; J. T. Brannigan and wife; Miss Annie Houston, George McNally, Grover Whalen.

SPECIAL SURVEYOR HERE

New York Underwriters' Agent Arrives to Inspect Salvaged Steamer Yucatan.

Mr. Black, a special shipwright's surveyor from New York, who has been sent by the underwriters to Victoria to inspect the salvaged steamer Yucatan now in the Esquimalt dry dock, arrived last evening. Tenders for the repair of the Yucatan will be called for shortly, and the specifications will be available at the office of Mr. Norman Hardie, Lloyd's sub-agent at Victoria board of trade building, on Saturday, June 18. It is expected that Vancouver shipyards will put in a bid for the repair job, which is anticipated will run to over \$100,000.

QUADRA RESUMES LIGHTHOUSE WORK

Is Loading at Hudsons Bay Wharf After Completing Overhauling and Will Sail on Saturday

The government steamer Quadra left the Victoria Machinery Depot after undergoing an extensive overhaul yesterday, and was brought alongside the wharf of the Hudson's Bay Company to load for the west coast. The Quadra will leave on Saturday for the west coast of Vancouver island to replenish the stores of the lighthouses and do some buoy work.

Chicago Maru Arrives
The steamer Chicago Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, has arrived at Tacoma from the Orient with 4,000 tons of general cargo and eight saloon passengers and fifty steerage.

Agot on Way
The Norwegian steamer Agot left San Francisco on Monday for Esquimalt Harbor to load coal for Guaymas on account of the Robert Dollar Company.

SAVED FROM SAHRS BY OANFA'S CREW

Schooner Selanger Was Found Surrounded by Man Eaters and Seven Were Taken off Wreck.

Officers of the steamer Oanfa of the Blue Funnel line which returned to the outer wharf from Tacoma yesterday to discharge cargo tell of the rescue of a bridal party of seven from sharks in the waters off the Philippines on the voyage from Liverpool. Attracted by signals of distress from the schooner Selanger, as surrounded by swarms of man-eating sharks, she was sinking outside Manila Bay with a wedding party aboard officers of the Oanfa were just in time to rescue her five passengers, captain and mate a few minutes before she sank in 100 fathoms of water. Besides her passengers the Selanger had more than 400 fowls, a consignment of lumber and forty-five sacks of charcoal. As she sank from view after those on board had been rescued the fowls were torn to pieces and devoured by the sharks, which after waiting many days, were cheated of their feast on the terrified people on the sinking schooner.

According to those on the Oanfa, the Selanger was on her way from Zamboanga to Manila when she met rough weather which drove her out of her course. Except for the fowls she had run completely out of provisions and those on board were almost dying of thirst when rescued.

On the Selanger, in addition to Captain Alvarez Montijo, skipper and owner of the vessel, were Francisco Gonzales, with his fiancée, Senorita Juanita Paritez, a beautiful Spanish girl, three of their friends and the Filipino mate.

Senorita Juanita Paritez, with her four friends, was returning from the wedding of her sweetheart's brother, which took place at Zamboanga, May 1. Following their attendance at the festivities which were spread over three days the five members of the wedding party took passage for their homes at Manila in Captain Montijo's schooner.

Shortly after leaving Zamboanga the storm which drove them out to sea arose and it was not until May 11 that they were rescued about twenty miles off Corregidor Island and taken aboard the Oanfa to Manila.

Capt. Walter Cope Lycett of the Oanfa, had just set the last course for Manila Bay when Third Officer Thomas H. Findlay and others on the Blue Funnel liner sighted the Selanger, flying the United States ensign half-mast, upside down.

Capt. Lycett attempted to tow the Selanger to Manila, but they had gone only a few feet when it was seen that the schooner could not be towed and the effort was abandoned. She sank as soon as the line was cast go. It was at this time that those on board the Oanfa noticed the water swarming with huge man-eating sharks, and as fast as a fowl attempted to make its escape, it was snapped up. Of 400 fowls on the schooner, not one escaped the sharks.

The horrors of those on the Selanger, who were practically without food and water were increased by the attention they received from hundreds of huge sharks which followed them for four days. At Manila they were handed over to the customs officials. While fixing the towing line from the Oanfa to the schooner two of the liner's men had a narrow escape from drowning. The vessel began to sink so rapidly that one of the men was forced to jump for some wreckage while the other clung to the bottom of an upturned dugout. Both were rescued by the men in the lifeboat just as the suction from the sinking ship was dragging them under.

SAVED FISHING SCHOONER FROM ROCKS

Stranded Fish No. 2, Prevented from Becoming a Wreck on Orcas Island During Recent Gale.

Driven onto Parkers reef, north of Orcas Island, by the gale of Friday night, it was only clever seamanship and the untiring efforts of Capt. George Bertrand and Pilot P. Saters which saved the schooner Standard Fish No. 2 from becoming a total wreck. The craft was brought back to Seattle the other day.

Friday night the schooner, on her way to the fishing banks, was caught fast on the storm and driven squarely on the rocks. The waves washed over the decks and she pounded heavily. As soon as it became light the tackle and stores of the ship were loaded into the dories and in spite of the heavy surf, successfully landed on Orcas Island.

Once safe on terra firma, the crew of eleven men refused to back to the schooner, which by this time was on her beam ends and taking water. Capt. Bertrand and Pilot Saters went back to the supposedly doomed schooner, while the crew camped on the beach and waited to see them go under. Luckily, with the ebb of the tide the pounding ceased and the boat was hoisted firmly on the reef.

With the flood tide Saturday evening the schooner again began to pound her bottom on the rocks. Capt. Bertrand motioned to the crew to come out to him, but they paid no attention. Launching their dory, Bertrand and Saters made their way back to shore and practically forced the men to accompany them back to the schooner.

The engine was started, the sails hoisted and an anchor planted fifty fathoms ahead of the ship. Everyone on board put their shoulders to the windlass to pull the schooner forward. Gradually the combined pull of the engine, the sails and the windlass began to tell. The schooner was pulled right up over the rocks and out.

A tall, dark man, stepped from behind a building between Carrall and Abbott streets, Vancouver, on Monday night and hit Capt. Robert Bailey on the back of the head with a cast iron pipe. He escaped when the captain yelled and the latter went back to his tugboat.

S. S. "Yucatan"

(DAMAGED.)

It is hoped that specifications for repairs to the above vessel, which is now in the Esquimalt Graving Dock, will be ready for delivery at the office of Mr. Norman Hardie, care of Dowdell & Co., Ltd., Board of Trade Building, Victoria, B. C., by Saturday, the 18th instant. By inquiring at the above address you can ascertain if the date has to be postponed.

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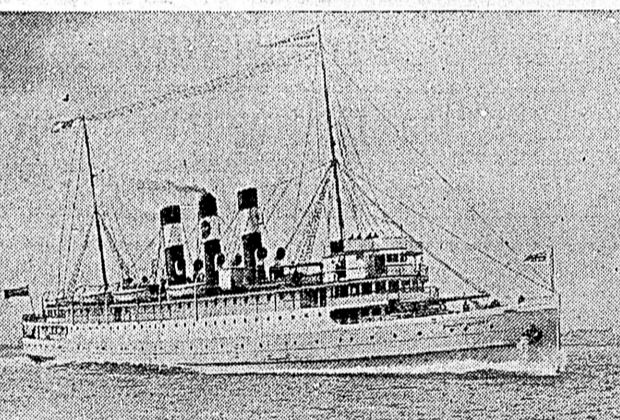
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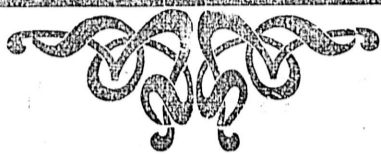
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FINANCIAL --- COMMERCIAL

EARLY ADVANCES FAIL TO HOLD

Wheat Market Very Susceptible to Conflicting Reports of the Conditions of Crops in Various Sections

CHICAGO, June 15.—There was an early dip in wheat prices because of a number of northwest messages referred to the little rains over night in the spring wheat country. The late Liverpool cables came weak after a higher opening because of needed rains in Argentina. Temperatures northwest promised better for the big wheat states. The market showed decided firmness at the opening and this, together with decided strength in corn and oats started covering and an advance which established top prices for the day an hour later. The bear leaders then got in their work by rewording northwest rains which could not be confirmed, also by reporting purchases of Oklahoma wheat to come to Chicago and St. Louis. The bearish tactics did not succeed well except for half an hour, forcing prices back about 3/4. In the end the market showed decided strength, especially for the distant months, because of the uncertain feeling over the weather for the spring crop. H. W. Snow again wired from his farm in Saskatchewan that while barley and other crops are making good headway, the wheat plant looks as if it lacks vigor because of early freezing weather.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	92 3/4	93 1/4	92 1/2	92 3/4
Sept.	89 3/4	90 1/4	89 1/2	90
Dec.	89 3/4	91 1/4	89 1/2	91

Corn—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	57 1/4	58 1/4	57 1/2	58 1/4
Sept.	57 1/4	58 1/4	57 1/2	58 1/4
Dec.	55 1/4	56 1/4	55 1/2	56 1/4

Oats—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	36	36 1/2	36	36 1/2
Sept.	34 1/4	35 1/4	34 1/2	35 1/4
Dec.	35 1/4	36 1/4	35 1/2	36 1/4

Pork—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	23.00	23.00	22.70	22.90
Sept.	22.25	22.25	22.20	22.20

Lard—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	12.50	12.55	12.40	12.40
Sept.	12.17	12.55	12.50	12.40

Short Ribs—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	13.07	13.17	13.00	13.00
Sept.	12.55	12.65	12.52	12.52

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
NEW YORK, June 15.—Trading was on a slightly higher range of prices up to noon but the list later receded on pressure attributed to prominent room traders. There was nothing in the news to stimulate activity either way and reports from Washington relative to the progress of the railroad bill were meagre. The selling movement may be carried somewhat further and we are inclined to favor purchases on declines.

Stock—	High.	Low.	Bid.
Amal. Copper	64 1/2	62 3/4	62 3/4
Am. Car Pk.	55 1/2	55	55
Am. Cot. Oil	62	61 1/4	61 1/4
Amer. Leac.	43 3/4	43 1/4	43
Amer. Smelt.	76 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2
do pfd	103 1/2	103	103
Amer. Sugar	117	117	117
Amer. Tel.	135 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2
Amer. Woolen	40 1/2	39 3/4	39 3/4
Amesbury	120	120	120
Atlantic Coast	105 1/4	104	103 3/4
B. and O.	112 1/4	111 1/4	111 1/4
B. R. T.	78 3/4	77 1/2	77 1/2
C. C. and S. L.	78	78	78
C. P. R.	196 1/4	196 1/4	196
C. and O.	81 1/2	80 5/8	80 1/4
C. and A.	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
C. and G. W.	27 1/2	27	27
C. and N. W.	145 1/2	145 1/2	145 1/2
C. M. and St. P.	126 1/2	125 3/4	125 3/4
do pfd	126 1/2	125 3/4	125 3/4
Cent. Leather	37 1/2	37 1/2	37
C. F. and L.	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
do pfd	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
Colo. Southern	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
do 1st pfd	75	75	75
Con. Gas	136 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2
Corn Products	15	15	15
Distillers	30	30	30
Eric	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Gen. Elec.	147 1/2	147	147
Gl. Nor.	59 1/2	59	59
Gl. Nor. pfd	131 1/2	130 3/4	130 3/4
Illinois Cent.	132	132	132
Inter-Het.	18 1/2	18	18 1/2
Int. Paper	11	11	11
Int. Pump	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Iowa Cent.	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
L. and N.	145 1/2	144 1/4	144
Mackay	88	88	88
M. S. P. S. S. M.	137	137	137
do pfd	137	137	137
Missouri Pac.	67	66 1/2	66 1/2
Nat. Lead	74	73 1/2	73 1/2
Nevada Cons.	19	18 1/2	18 1/2
N. Y. Cent.	117 1/4	116 3/4	116
N. Y. O. and W.	44 1/2	44 1/4	44 1/4
N. and W.	100 1/2	100	100
Northern Pac.	125 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Pacific Coast	104	104	104
Pacific Mail	26 1/2	25 3/4	25 3/4
Pennsylv. Ry.	132 1/2	131 1/2	131 1/2
Peoples Gas	107	106 1/2	106 1/2
Pressed Steel	35	34 1/2	34 1/2
Reading	154 1/2	153 1/2	153 1/2
Rep. Steel	31 1/2	30 3/4	31
Rock Island	41 1/2	40 3/4	40 3/4
Sloss Steel	68	68	68
Southern Pac.	122 1/2	121 1/2	121
Southern Ry.	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Tenn. Copper	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Texas Pac.	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Third Ave.	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Twin City	110	110	110
Union Pac.	172 1/2	170 3/4	170 3/4
U. S. Steel	78 1/2	77	77
Utah Copper	43	43	43
Virginia Chem.	59 1/2	59	58 1/2
Wabash	19 1/2	19	18 1/2
West. Union	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Westinghouse	62	61	60 1/2
Wisconsin Cent.	50	50	50

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Stock—	Bid.	Asked.
Alberta Canadian Oil	12	12
Amer. Canadian Oil	10	10
Canadian Northwest Oil	28	28
Alberta Coal and Coke	30	30
Diamond Vale C. and C.	36	36
Int. Coal and Coke	71 1/2	71 1/2
Nicola Valley C. and C.	78	78
Royal Collieries	21 1/2	21 1/2
West. Coal and Coke	175	175
B. C. Perm. Loan	135.00	135.00
Dominion Trust Co.	95.00	95.00
Gl. West Permanent	115.00	115.00
Pac. Walling com.	43.00	43.00
Pac. Whaling pfd.	65.00	65.00
Stewart Land	31.00	31.00
S. A. Scrip	720.00	800.00
Bitter Creek	35	35
Bear River Canyon	32	33 1/2
Glacier Creek	34	38
Main Reef	41	41
O. K. Fraction	31	31
Portland Canal	33	39
Portland Wonder	31	31
Stewart M. and D.	6.50	6.50
Van. Portland Canals	90	100
Nugget Gold	85	85
Lasqueti	15	15
Lucky Calumet	7	7
Snowstorm	67	70
Snowshoe	63	63
Rambler Cariboo	25	30

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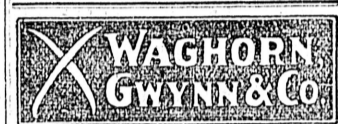
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March	12.28	12.33	12.32	12.31
June	15.16	15.28	15.15	15.21
July	15.16	15.28	15.15	15.21
Aug.	15.16	15.28	15.15	15.21
Sept.	15.16	15.28	15.15	15.21
Oct.	15.16	15.28	15.15	15.21
Nov.	15.16	15.28	15.15	15.21
Dec.	15.16	15.28	15.15	15.21

Wright's Loss Point in Court.

NEW YORK, June 15.—The United States court of appeals late today dissolved the temporary injunction against Glenn H. Curtiss and Louis Paulhan, the French aviator, in the suit for infringements of aeroplane patents brought against them by the Wright company, controlled by the Wright Bros.



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A SNAP—18 ACRES, 1/2 MILE FROM Hillside station, one mile from Cowichan station, 12 acres slashed and seeded, three acres cultivated, balance brush, very easily cleared, large house, new, up-to-date chicken house, with wire runs, new barn and stable, good water. Less than one mile from Cowichan bay. Price only \$2,750, 1/2 cash, would make a fine first class fruit farm.

FOR RENT—STORE ON QUADRA ST., doing a good business, will either rent or sell.

SHAW REAL ESTATE CO.

707 1/2 Yates Street. Phone 1094

TWO OPPORTUNITIES COME ONCE TO EVERY man's door. This is your last chance to acquire in Saanich at such a price. It is cleared and free from stone. \$150 per acre on very easy terms. This is for a few days only.

CONTRACTORS AND SPECULATORS mark this snap. Until Saturday a lot on Vancouver street for \$650. High and dry in a pleasant locality and on easy terms. Only 1/2 mile from City Hall.

H. P. WINSBY.

Room 4, 1203 Government Street

MODERN BUNGALOW, FIVE ROOMS, large basement, near Beacon Hill and sea, 12 minutes to Postoffice, Vancouver St. \$3,100.

SAANICH AND METCHOSIN FARMS

THE CITY BROKERAGE

1218 Douglas St. (opposite Merchants Bank)

NEAR GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS, LOT 60x150, \$1,600.

TENDERS

Will be received by the Victoria School Board until the 25th of June for the painting of the High School. Specifications to be seen at the office of the Board.

ISABELLE MOORE Secretary of Victoria School Board

IMPORTANT SALE OF

Rabbits, Ducks and Chickens

Maynard & Son AUCTIONEERS

Instructed by Mr. C. P. Aston, we will sell at his farm, Burnside Road, opposite nursery, 300 yards past Rowlands, on

ALL HIS Pure-bred Rabbits, Ducks, Chickens, Sow Pig, Jersey Cow, Incubators, Brooders, Carpenters' and Garden Tools, Hoes, etc., also all his

Tuesday, 21st, 2 p.m.

Pure-bred Rabbits, Ducks, Chickens, Sow Pig, Jersey Cow, Incubators, Brooders, Carpenters' and Garden Tools, Hoes, etc., also all his

Furniture and Effects

Full particulars later.

MAYNARD & SON Auctioneers

SALE OF SMALL FARM BY PUBLIC AUCTION

Maynard & Son AUCTIONEERS

Instructed by Mr. C. P. Aston, who is leaving for Calgary, we will sell on the premises on

TUESDAY, 21ST 2 P.M.

2.29 Acre Farm

All under cultivation and in crop, with outbuildings, fruit trees, etc. This farm is situated on the Burnside Road, about one-quarter of a mile past Rowlands Hotel. For further particulars apply to

MAYNARD & SON Auctioneers 1314 Broad Street

Subscribe for THE COLONIST

Important Sale of Household Furniture

Messrs. Stewart Williams & Co.

Duly instructed will sell by public auction at 414 Menzies street on

TODAY

At 2 o'clock, sharp, the whole of the valuable and well kept

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

contained therein, including:

DRAWING ROOM—Very fine piano by Newcombe (nearly new) handsome British plate mirror, about 9ft. x 4 ft., in English gilt frame, walnut drawing room suite, upholstered in brocade, 2 arm chair, up oak chair, footstool with horn feet, brass easel, mission oak China cabinet, E. P. 4 branch candelabra set of bouillon cups, very handsome axminster carpet, axminster rugs, portiers, brass rods, very fine lace curtains, pictures, ornaments, occasional tables, etc.

DINING ROOM—Solid oak extension table, 10 oak chairs up, in leather, very handsome oak china cabinet, bamboo screen and table, nearly new heater and pipe, good banjo in solid leather case, lounge, a quantity of china, dinner service, tea set, hammock, carpet paper very fine Brussels carpet, rugs, lace curtains, brass rods, pictures, ornaments, etc.

KITCHEN—Small range (nearly new) kitchen "treasure" kitchen tables, kitchen chairs, good linoleum, cooking utensils, mother Pott's Irons, crockery, glassware, etc.

BATHROOM—Looking glass, chair, linoleum, bath fittings, ironing board, etc.

HALL—Handsome mission oak hall stand, oak umbrella stand, mission oak grandfather's clock, bamboo screen, portiers, Brussels carpet and rugs to match.

STAIRCASE—Brussels stair carpet (new) stair pads, curtains, etc.

BEDROOM I—Very handsome solid brass bedstead, with spring, ostermoor and hair mattresses, pillows, mahogany bureau and washstand, toilet ware, rattan chairs, mission oak rocker with leather stuffed cushions, oak occasional tables, good heater, Brussels carpet and rugs, lace curtains, brass rods, pictures, etc.

BEDROOM II—Very handsome and solid brass bedstead, spring, ostermoor and hair mattresses, mahogany bureau and washstand, eight day clock, walnut chair, mahogany rocker, heater, coal scuttle, axminster carpet, rugs, lace curtains, pictures, etc.

BEDROOM III—Solid single brass bedstead, spring ostermoor and hair mattresses, rattan rocker, walnut up chair, oak medicine chest, mirror, oil painting, etc. Large axminster carpets, nearly new, hair mattresses (new), clothes basket, household linen, including sheets, blankets, pillow cases, etc.

GARDEN—Wash tubs, wringer, hose, garden tools, a large number of pot plants, steps, a few black minnows and other goods too numerous to mention.

The Auctioneer Stewart Williams

Sale of Bedding Out Plants, Hanging Baskets, Etc.

Messrs. Stewart Williams & Co.

Duly instructed, will sell by public auction, at their mart, 637 Fort street.

TOMORROW

At 2 o'clock sharp

A quantity of bedding out and other plants consisting principally of white and yellow marguerites, double petunias, geraniums, fuschias, coleus and begonias in pots, stocks, asters, lobelia, verbenas, phlox for bedding out in trays.

Also a few choice specimen fuschias and other plants, hanging baskets, ferns and foliage plants.

The Auctioneer Stewart Williams

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

Stewart Williams & Co.

Duly instructed by A. J. McKenzie, Esq., will sell by public auction at his residence, Sidney, on

Tuesday, June 21

at 11 a.m., the whole of his

Household Furniture

CATTLE, HORSES, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

Particulars later.

The Auctioneer Stewart Williams

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

Stewart Williams & Co.

Duly instructed by Watson Clark, Esq., will sell by public auction at his farm, "Oaklands" Dairy, Victoria, on

Thursday, June 30

AT 10.30 A.M.

The whole of his valuable

Herd of Milch Cows

Comprising over sixty of the best grade Durland and Holstein milch cows in the province, together with horses, milk carts, cans and other paraphernalia, appertaining to the milk business.

Lunch will be served on the grounds

The Auctioneer Stewart Williams

Advertise in THE COLONIST

MINING NEWS

Metal Markets.

London copper close: Spots, 54-10-0, off 58, sales 500 tons. Futures 55-3-0, off 58, sales 1000 tons.

London silver, 24 1/2. New York silver, 53 1/2. Mexican dollars 44 cents.

Standard copper, \$11.95 to 12.20. Tin, \$32.50 to 33.00. Lead, \$4.45 to 4.50. Spelter, \$5.45 to 5.50.

The Supply of Labor

According to the report of the Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies for 1907, there were connected with the coal mining industry at that time sixty-four unions, with 2,254 branches or lodges and 633,622 members.

The able report of the Eight Hours' Departmental Committee points out that in the United Kingdom the mines are not flooded with labor when coal is high in price and wages are high; nor are denuded of labor when price is low and wages are low.

Hence the effect of the legislative regulation of the hours of labor are likely to be intensified.

The ordinary economic law of supply and demand, as it affects labor in coal mines has no longer free play. But economic laws cannot be altogether ignored. A high rate of wages artificially maintained in a falling market causes the irregular work and reduced earnings. Better than this for the common sense is a reduction of wages to such a rate as can be paid without lessening employment. The action of the miners' unions, in Great Britain, at any rate, prevents free competition of labor, and certainly tends to maintain a higher and more uniform rate of wages than would exist apart from their action. And this is not at all a matter for regret if only they would maintain also the efficiency of labor.

Reduced Efficiency

The fault of trade unionism is its tendency to limit the efficiency of its members, to place the bad workman on a level with the good, to level down rather than up, and to make men think that they are helping their cause by restricting their labor—the "ca" policy, as it has been expressively termed. Such a policy must have a blighting effect upon any industry.

In the keen industrial competition which exists and which will become keener as time goes on, it is efficiency of every kind that tells, and that will come out on top. Mr. Finlay states that the efficiency of labor depends generally on the supply, that where wages are high and there is a surplus of labor seeking work, the men who are fortunate enough to be employed are spurred to greater exertions, seeing that their employment is threatened by competition. But this does not hold good in the United Kingdom, where the general tendency, as shown by the relative production of the person employed is for a man to do less work when his wages are higher. Rather than earn more he prefers to take things more easily. And this being so, a high rate of wages generally means a reduced efficiency of the workman, because the relative production per man is reduced.

In considering the effect of labor, its efficiency must be taken into account, no less than its price. When a higher price has to be paid for a poorer article there is a two-fold loss.

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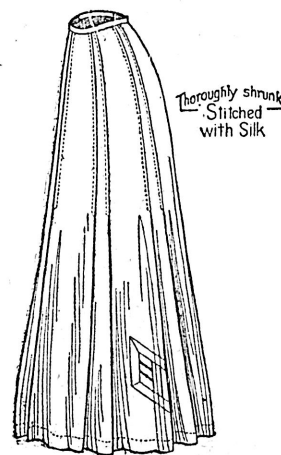
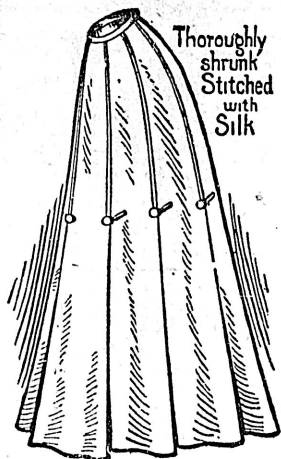
A complete list of Local Improvement works, authorized by Bylaw, from time to time, will be found in the Bulletin Board at the main entrance to the City Hall.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable to construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the north side of Simcoe street from Montreal street to St. Lawrence street; And that the said work shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement General By-Law" and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the council in accordance with the provisions of section 4 of said bylaw, upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said works, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the council;

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Fresh Daily. Pure and
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DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED.

Tea Daintily Served in
Our Tea Rooms, Third
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Friday Will Be An Important Day for All Ladies Wishing to Make a Substantial Saving on Skirts

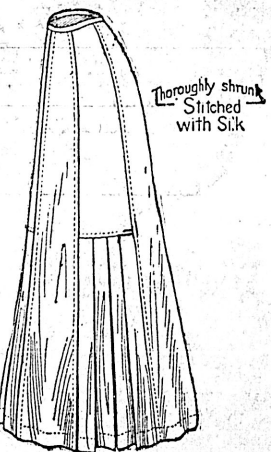
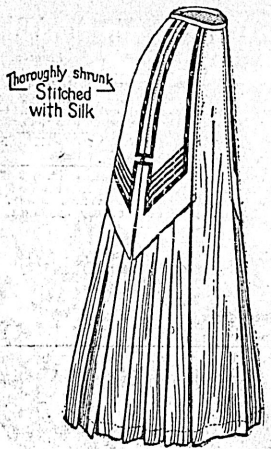
This is the first important sale of skirts this season. In order to make a clean-up, we have marked them all at most unusual saving prices. They are the season's very latest styles, the materials being exceptionally good quality. It will be well worth while making a trip down tomorrow.

Women's Stylish Skirts, Regular \$7.50, Friday, for \$2.90

These are made of all-wool Panamas, English lustre, French vicuna and serges, in colors of blue, black, taupe, green, brown and tweed effects. Every one is sponged, thoroughly shrunk and stitched with silk, in all styles, including plain circular cut also the new side pleat with and without yoke effect, also the nine-gore panel front with cluster pleats in scallop design. Trimmings are of self covered buttons, taffeta silk or silk military braid. Regular \$7.50, Friday, \$2.90.

Women's High Grade \$12.50 Skirts for \$4.90

This assortment includes a great number of high class models in tunic effect and smart tailored designs. They are made of very fine French voiles, serges, Panamas and English tweeds in all the new shades trimmed with silk and pipings of satin. Reg. \$12.50, Friday, \$4.90



Friday and Sat. Sale of Small Wares

The Perfect Waist and Hose Supporter for growing boys and girls, braces and supports the child's figure—all weight comes from the shoulders. Sizes from 2 to 12 years **35¢**
Side Hose Supporters, in black and white and colored lisle elastic. Small size, 10c for medium and large **15¢**
C. M. C. Side Hose Supporters, in black and white **25¢**
C. M. C. Hose Supporters, with moire pad, heavy elastic, all colors. Price **25¢**
Gan's "Perfection" Shirtwaist Retainer and Skirt Supporter, adjusted in a second. Each **25¢**
Stephenson's Shirtwaist Holder and Skirt Supporter, is always ready for use. Each **25¢**
Ajax Nainsook Covered Dress Shields, Pair **10¢**
The Perfection Darner, will attach to any machine. Each **10¢**
Mending Cotton on Spools, black, white and tan. 3 spools for. **10¢**
Mending Wool on Cards, Baldwin AX, all colors, 2 for **5¢**
Half-ounce Skeins and Balls Baldwin's Mending Wool. Each. **5¢**
B. B. Andalusian Mending Wool, 1 oz. Skein. **10¢**
D. S. Best India Tape, in assorted packages of 12. Prices, 10c, 15c and **25¢**
Safety Pins, cards of 12, assorted sizes. Card **5¢**
Ironing Wax for polishing irons. Each **2½¢**
Hat Pins, on cards of six pins, 8, 10, 11 inch. Card **5¢**
Hooks and Eyes, best quality, black and white. 3 cards **10¢**
Self-Threading Needles, 3-7 and 4-8. Package **5¢**
Pearl Buttons for underwear. Cards of 3 dozen. Card **5¢**
Pearl Buttons for Blouses, on cards of one dozen. **5¢**
J. & P. Coat's 6 Card, 200 Yard Spools, all sizes, black and white, Per dozen **50¢**
Hairlyke Hair Nets, pure silk, invisible and untearable, all shades. Each **5¢**
Nets of Real Hair. Each, 15c, 20c and **25¢**

Mattresses Special for Friday. Reg. \$3.50 and \$4.00 for \$1.90

SCHLOTTER SPRING MATTRESS, three-quarter and full size, the most durable spring that is made. Sanitary in every way. Very pliable and which gives every comfort. Made on hardwood frame. Will wear for years. Three-quarter size, regular \$3.50; full size, regular \$4.00. Special for Friday **\$1.90**

Nelson's Library Copyright Novels,

Cloth, 15c

Broad Street Windows

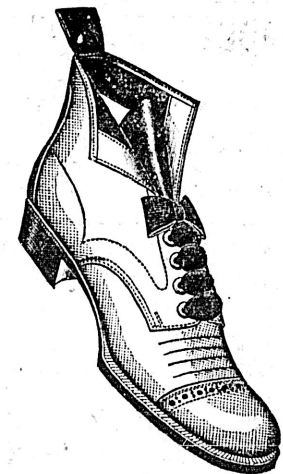
The Primrose Path, by Mrs. Oliphant.
The Recipe for Diamonds, by C. J. Cutcliffe Hyne.
Thompson's Progress, by C. J. Cutcliffe Hyne.
The Man from America, by Mrs. De La Pasture.
The Lonely Lady of Grosvenor Square, by Mrs. De La Pasture.
Cynthia's Way, by Mrs. Sidgwick Raffles, by E. W. Hornung.
Kipps, by H. G. Wells.
The Food of the Gods, by H. G. Wells.
Love and Mr. Lewisham, by H. G. Wells.
Springtime, by H. C. Bailey.
Moonfleet, by J. Meade Falkner.
The Gateless Barrier, by Lucas Malet.
The Wages of Sin, by Lucas Malet.
Major Vigoureaux, by "Q."
Sir John Constantine, by "Q."
Mrs. Galer's Business, by W. Pett Ridge.
Old Gordon Graham, by G. H. Lorimer.
House With the Green Shutters, by George Douglas.
Selah Harrison, by S. Macnaughton.
A Lame Dog's Diary, by S. Macnaughton.
Fortune of Christina McNab, by S. Macnaughton.
His Honor and a Lady, by Sara Jeannette Duncan.
The Duenna of a Genius, by M. E. Francis.
Owd Bob, by Alfred Ollivant.
Eight Days, by R. E. Forrest.
Lady Audley's Secret, by Miss Braddon.
White Fang, by Jack London.
The Octopus, by Frank Norris.
The Pit, by Frank Norris.
The Lady of the Barge, by W. W. Jacobs.
Monsieur Beaucaire and the Beautiful Lady, by Booth Tarkington.
Woodside Farm, by Mrs. W. K. Clifford.
An Adventurer of the North, by Sir Gilbert Parker.
The Translation of a Savage, by Sir Gilbert Parker.
The Battle of the Strong, by Sir Gilbert Parker.
The Intrusions of Peggy, by Anthony Hope.
Quisante, by Anthony Hope.
The King's Mirror, by Anthony Hope.

Today's Leader in Wall Paper at 7 1-2c per Roll

Thursday morning we are placing on sale a number of odd lots of Wall Paper. In some there are four, seven, nine and eleven rolls, comprising wall, border and ceiling to match. There is a large quantity where we have only the wall paper. The regular prices range from 12½c to 40c per single roll. They come in a splendid assortment of designs and colorings, and as we are not having the same printed again we are reducing these to effect a complete clearance. Per single roll **7½¢**

Special Val. for Friday in White-wear Section. Ladies' White Underskirts, Reg. 75c, 85c, Fri., 50c

50c for a regular 75c and 85c certainly is a saving well worth while taking advantage of. They are made of fine quality cambric, with deep flounces of tucked lawn, finished with two inches of torchon lace. On sale Friday at **50¢**



Men's Shoes, Friday, at \$2.65

A most up-to-date line, just the kind of Shoe you have been looking for, every pair of which is fully guaranteed. Made of fine box calf, velour calf, glazed kid and tan Russia, in Blucher cut and Oxford styles. These are excellent value, indeed. Special Friday at **\$2.65**

Emphatic Savings Can Be Made on Books Here, Friday. Reg.

\$1.50 Special at 60¢

A specially strong and interesting line of Fiction is being placed on sale Friday at less than half their usual price. This lot includes such titles as "The Weavers," by Gilbert Parker; "The Right of Way," by Parker; "Battle of the Strong," by Parker; "Seats of the Mighty," by Parker. These are sold regularly at \$1.50. Friday **60¢**

Net Lace and Dress Robes on Sale, Friday, at Very Low Prices

We have a few very attractive Net and Lace Dress Robes, which we intend placing on special sale Friday at very much reduced prices.

Net and Lace Robes. Regular \$60, for \$35.00	Net and Lace Robes. Regular \$50, for \$25.00
Net and Lace Robes. Regular \$45, for \$25.00	Black Sequin Dresses. Regular \$50, for \$25.00
Cream and Black Chiffon Dresses. Regular \$75, for.. \$25.00	White Muslin Embroidered Dresses, \$6.50 to..... \$20.00

A Clean-Up Sale of Dress and Silk Remnants

In order to make a speedy clearance of all our Silk and Dress Goods Remnants, we are placing them on sale Friday at

Less Than Half Price

These consist of every known weave, in lengths of 1 to 7 yards. An early attendance gets first pick.

Writing Tablets, Reg. 50c, Special at 25c

A very fine quality Linen Lawn Writing Tablet is being placed on sale Friday at extra special prices. These have Victoria, B.C., embossed in blue on them, folds twice. Regular price, 50c. Special Friday at **25¢**

Fancy Muslins and Organdies, Regular 25c, Friday, 15c

A broken assortment of fine Wash Dress Fabric consisting of Figured Organdies, Fancy Muslins, Colored Cotton Foulards, and White and Colored Crossbar effects, go on sale Friday at extra special prices. These we are showing in our Broad Street windows. They are splendid values indeed, just the thing for making up a nice wash dress. Usual selling price was 25c per yard. Friday **15¢**

Special for Today—Sewing Baskets, Reg. \$1.70 for 75c

Ladies' Sewing Baskets, neatly made of cretonne on wood frames. Visit third floor. Regular \$1.70. Special price **75¢**

Men's Outing Shirts Special at \$1.00

Men's New Outing or Tennis Shirts, very pretty patterns, cream cotton, with colored stripes, blue and white stripes, plain white mesh or open work, plain blue canvas cloth, and also plain tan or khaki, well cut and finished with reversible turn-in collar. All sizes, 14 to 18.

A Week-End Sale of Men's Suits at Man- ufacturers' Prices

Reg.

\$18.00

to

\$22.50

for

\$13.75



A late shipment of Men's Fine Suits have just come to hand. These we are placing on sale Friday at an exceptional saving. The prices are practically manufacturers'. They consist of

Fit-Rite and Proper Clothes Makes

In two and three-piece effects, all new and up-to-date patterns, well tailored and finished. Regular prices \$18.00 to **\$22.50.**

Friday, \$13.75